

DIPLOMA GOLD 4 ply & DK

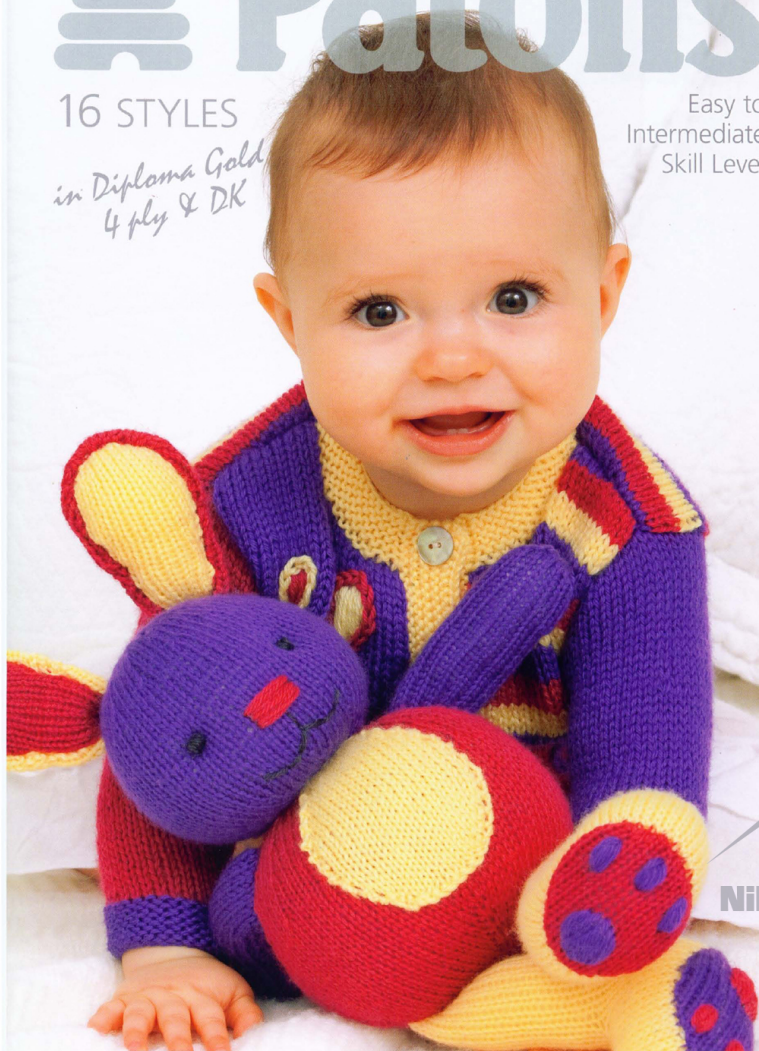
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16 STYLES

*in Diploma Gold
4 ply & DK*

Easy to
Intermediate
Skill Level



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Front Cover
Style **1** Rosie Rabbit Cardigan
Style **2** Rosie Rabbit Toy
- both in Diploma Gold DK



Style **3** Fiona Frog Sweater
Style **4** Fiona Frog Toy
- both in Diploma Gold 4ply



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Sweater
Style **6** Mikey Mouse Toy
- both in Diploma Gold 4ply





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 Collar Sweater
 Style 8 Douggie Doggie Toy
 - both in Diploma Gold DK







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Toy - in
Diploma Gold
DK



Above
Style **10** Peter Panda
Toy - in
Diploma Gold
DK

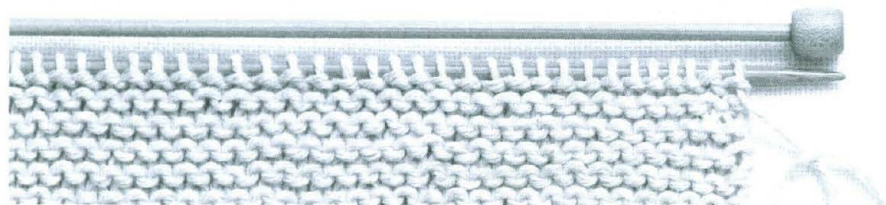


Right
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Panda Sweaters
- in Diploma
Gold DK



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- both in Diploma Gold 4ply





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SKILL LEVELS FOR KNITTING



BEGINNER

Beginner Projects for first-time knitters using basic knit and purl stitches. Minimal shaping.



INTERMEDIATE

Intermediate Projects with a variety of stitches, such as basic cables and lace, simple intarsia, double-pointed needles and knitting in the round needle techniques, mid-level shaping and finishing.



EASY

Easy Projects using basic stitches, repetitive stitch patterns, simple color changes, and simple shaping and finishing.



EXPERIENCED

Experienced Projects using advanced techniques and stitches, such as short rows, fair isle, more intricate intarsia, cables, lace patterns, and numerous color changes.

KNITTING ABBREVIATIONS

K = knit

P = purl

alt = alternate

beg = begin or beginning

cont = continue

dec = decrease, decreased, decreases or decreasing

foll = following or follows

garter st = every row knit

inc = increase, increased, increases or increasing

incl = including or inclusive

patt = pattern

psso = pass slipped stitch(es) over

purl fabric = 1 row purl, 1 row knit (purl side is right side)

rem = remain, remains, remainder or remaining

rep = repeat

sl = slip (slip all stitches knitways, unless stated otherwise)

stocking st = 1 row knit, 1 row purl (knit side is right side)

st, sts = stitch or stitches

tbl = through back of loop(s)

tog = together

cm = centimetre(s)

mm = millimetre(s)

ins = inches

0 = no rows, stitches or times

ybk = yarn back – take yarn under needle from purling position into knitting position.

yft = yarn front – bring yarn under needle from knitting position into purling position.

yfwd = yarn forward – bring yarn under needle, then over into knitting position again, thus making a stitch.

yon = yarn over needle – take yarn over top of needle into knitting position, thus making a stitch.

yrn = yarn round needle – take yarn right round needle into purling position, thus making a stitch.

NOTE: When instructions read – “Cast off 2 sts” (or similar stitches), the stitch left on the right hand needle, after casting off, is counted as one stitch.

M1 = Make 1 – pick up loop which lies before next stitch, place on left hand needle and knit (or purl) into back of loop.

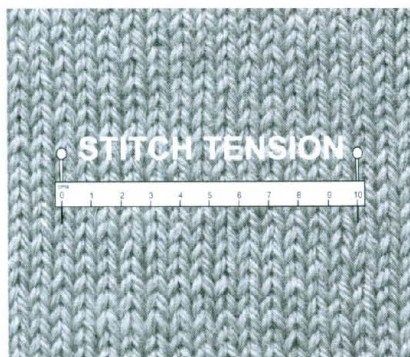
KNITTING TENSION

Knitting tension is the number of stitches and number of rows in a 10cm square of knitting. Knitting patterns will state a tension at the beginning and you need to make sure your tension matches the tension quoted – or your garment will not fit properly. Accurate tension is the key to your project being the correct size.

To test your tension, knit a square following the instructions at the beginning of the pattern and lay your knitting on a flat surface.

STITCH TENSION

Place two pins – 10 cm apart – across the centre of your knitting. Count the stitches between the pins. If there are less stitches than stated, your knitting is loose, so knit another square using a size smaller needles. If there are more stitches than stated, your knitting is tight, so knit another square using a size larger needles.



ROW TENSION

Place two pins – 10 cm apart – down the centre of your knitting. Count the rows between the pins. If there are less rows than stated, your knitting is loose ... if there are more rows than stated, then your knitting is tight. It is generally better to have correct stitch tension, as lengths can usually be adjusted during knitting.



Style 1 Rosie Rabbit Cardigan

SKILL LEVEL

Easy

MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Months		0	3	6	9	12	18
To Fit Underarm	cm	35	40	45	47	50	53
	ins	14	16	18	18½	19½	21
Actual Size	cm	38	43	49	51	55	58
(approx at underarm)	ins	15	17	19½	20	21½	23
Length (approx)	cm	21	25	28	30	32	34
	ins	8	10	11	12	12½	13½
Sleeve Length	cm	11	13	15	16	17	19
	ins	4½	5	6	6½	6½	7½

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD DK 50g balls

Garment pictured is in colours #6123 (cyclamen), #6242 (violet) and #6222 (lemon).

1st Colour (C1)	1	1	1	2	2	2
2nd Colour (C2)	1	1	1	2	2	2
3rd Colour (C3)	1	1	1	2	2	2

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.



NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair each 4.00mm (UK 8) (US 6) and 3.25mm (UK 10) (US 3) Knitting Needles.
- 1 Stitch Holder.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- 4 (5-5-5-6-6) Coats Buttons (#0872).
- Small quantity of grey yarn for embroidery.

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your garment will look like our photograph.

22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 4.00mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 4.00mm Needles, cast on 33 sts. Work 44 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

CARDIGAN

BACK

Using 3.25mm Needles and C1, cast on 51 (58-65-65-72-72) sts.

Knit 1 row (wrong side). Break off C1.

Change to 4.00mm Needles and beg frill patt.

Using C3, 1st row (right side) - Knit.

2nd row - Purl.

3rd row - K2, * yrn, P1, P3tog, P1, yon, K2, rep from * to end.

4th row - Purl.

Rows 1 to 4 incl form frill patt.

Work a further 8 (8-12-12-12-12) rows patt. Break off C3.

Using C1, Next row - K3 (4-4-6-3-7), K2tog, * K4 (6-4-8-6-12), K2tog, rep from * to last 4 (4-5-7-3-7) sts, K4 (4-5-7-3-7) ... 43 (51-55-59-63-67) sts.

Knit 5 rows garter st.

Note - Do not break off yarn after completing each stripe, instead carry colour not in use loosely up side of work until required again.

Beg stripes - Using C2, work 4 rows stocking st.

Using C3, work 4 rows stocking st.

Using C1, work 4 rows stocking st.

Last 12 rows form stripes.

Work a further 0 (12-12-12-24-24) rows in stripes.

SHAPE ARMHOLES -

Keeping stripes correct, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 39 (47-51-55-59-63) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 35 (43-47-49-53-55) sts rem.

Cont in stripes without shaping until armhole measures 10 (11-12-13-13-14) cm, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE SHOULDERS -

Cast off 4 (6-6-7-8-8) sts at beg of next 2 rows, then 4 (5-6-6-7-7) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Leave rem 19 (21-23-23-23-25) sts on a stitch holder.

LEFT FRONT

Using 3.25mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 23 (**30-30-30-37**) sts.

Knit 1 row (wrong side). Break off **C1**.

Change to 4.00mm Needles and **beg frill patt**.

Using **C3**, work 12 (**12-16-16-16**) rows frill patt as for Back. Break off **C3**.

Using **C1**, **Next row** - Knit, dec 2 (**5-3-1-6-4**) st/s evenly across ... 21 (**25-27-29-31-33**) sts.

Knit 5 rows garter st. **

Using **C1**, work in stocking st until work measures same as Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE ARMHOLE -

Work in stocking st stripes of 4 rows each **C2**, **C3** and **C1** for rem, AT SAME TIME, cast off 2 sts at beg of next row ... 19 (**23-25-27-29-31**) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in every foll alt row until 17 (**21-23-24-26-27**) sts rem.

Cont in stripes without shaping until **armhole** measures 4 (**4-4-4.5-4.5-5**) cm **less** than Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with a purl row.

Work 1 row.

SHAPE NECK -

Next row (wrong side) - Cast off 5 (**5-6-6-6-6**) sts, purl to end ... 12 (**16-17-18-20-21**) sts.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until 8 (**11-12-13-15-15**) sts rem.

Cont in stripes without shaping until **armhole** measures same as Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with same stripe row.

SHAPE SHOULDER -

Cast off 4 (**6-6-7-8-8**) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row. Cast off rem 4 (**5-6-6-7-7**) sts.

RIGHT FRONT

Work as for Left Front to **.

Beg stripes - Work same amount of stocking st stripes as for Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with same stripe row.

Break off **C1** and **C3**.

Using **C2** for rem, work 1 row.

SHAPE ARMHOLE -

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row ... 19 (**23-25-27-29-31**) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in next row, then in every foll alt row until 17 (**21-23-24-26-27**) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures 4 (**4-4-4.5-4.5-5**) cm **less** than Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE NECK -

Next row (right side) - Cast off 5 (**5-6-6-6-6**) sts, knit to end ... 12 (**16-17-18-20-21**) sts.

Work 1 row.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until 8 (**11-12-13-15-15**) sts rem.

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Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures same as Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a purl row. Work 1 row.

SHAPE SHOULDER -

Cast off 4 (**6-6-7-8-8**) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row. Cast off rem 4 (**5-6-6-7-7**) sts.

LEFT SLEEVE

Using 3.25mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 27 (**29-29-31-31-33**) sts.

Knit 9 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side). Break off **C1**. Change to 4.00mm Needles.

Using **C2** for rem, work 2 rows stocking st.

3rd row - K2, **M1**, knit to last 2 sts, **M1**, K2.

Cont in stocking st (beg with a purl row), inc one st (as before) at each end of every foll - 4th (**6th-4th-4th-4th-4th**) row until there are 37 (**39-45-47-49-51**) sts.

Cont without shaping until work measures 11 (**13-15-16-17-19**) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE TOP -

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 33 (**35-41-43-45-47**) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 29 (**31-37-37-39-39**) sts rem.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

RIGHT SLEEVE

Work as for Left Sleeve, using **C2** in place of **C1** and **C1** in place of **C2**, thus reversing colours.

NECKBAND

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam.

Join shoulder seams. With right side facing, using 3.25mm Needles and **C3**, knit up 14 (**14-14-16-16-18**) sts evenly along right side of neck, knit across sts from back stitch holder, then knit up 14 (**14-14-16-16-18**) sts evenly along left side of neck ... 47 (**49-51-55-55-61**) sts.

Knit 9 rows garter st. Cast off loosely knitways.

RIGHT FRONT BAND

With right side facing, using 3.25mm Needles and **C3**, knit up 38 (**50-54-54-62-62**) sts evenly along right front edge to neckband, then 5 sts evenly along side edge of neckband ... 43 (**55-59-59-67-67**) sts.

Knit 4 rows garter st.

5th row (wrong side) - K3, yfwd, K2tog, * K10 (**10-11-11-10-10**), yfwd, K2tog, rep from * to last 2 sts, K2 ... 4 (**5-5-5-6-6**) buttonholes in all.

Knit 4 rows garter st. Cast off loosely knitways.

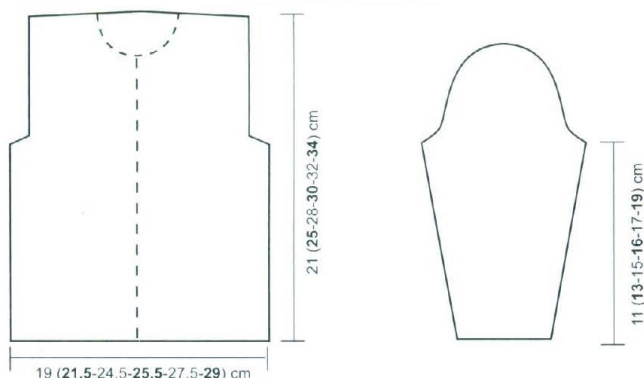
LEFT FRONT BAND

With right side facing, using 3.25mm Needles and **C3**, knit up 5 sts evenly along side edge of neckband, then 38 (**50-54-54-62-62**) sts evenly along left front edge ... 43 (**55-59-59-67-67**) sts.

Knit 9 rows garter st. Cast off loosely knitways.

MAKE UP

Embroidery - Using **C1** and chain stitch, outline head and one ear of rabbit to right front as pictured. Using **C3** and chain stitch, outline other ear. Work satin stitch to inside of ears, using opposite colours to colours worked for outline of ears. Using **C1** and satin stitch, embroider nose. Using grey yarn, work french knots for eyes. Using **C2** and chain stitch, outline heart to left front as pictured. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves. Sew on buttons. Sew in all ends.



FLAT SEAM

A flat seam is good to use for collars and front bands, as the seam has little bulk. It can be worked from either the right or the wrong side. Place the 2 pieces of fabric evenly together. Bring the needle up from underneath to the top through the centre of the first stitch, then in the same manner through the corresponding stitch on the other piece. Sew stitch by stitch from one side to the other, always bringing the needle up from underneath to the top through the centre of the stitch.

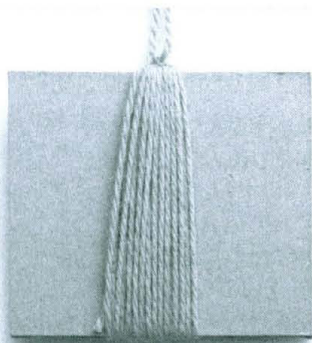
NOTE – Keep work elastic – there should be as much stretch in your seam as there is in the rest of your garment.



TASSELS

To make a tassel, cut a piece of cardboard to the finished length of the tassel you wish to make.

1



Wind yarn (closely together) around cardboard to desired tassel thickness. Clip yarn approx. 20cm from tassel and thread this through a wool needle. Slip needle under all strands along one side of cardboard and tie a knot securely near the strands. (This yarn can be used to attach the tassel to your item when tassel is complete).

2



Remove cardboard. Cut a separate piece of yarn approx. 60cm long. Using yarn double, wrap tightly below top knot to secure strands. Hold firmly and thread ends onto wool needle. Pull end to centre of tassel and clip close to tassel. Cut the strands on the lower edge of tassel as pictured.

3



Trim tassel ends evenly.

Style 2 Rosie Rabbit Toy

SKILL LEVEL

Intermediate

MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Height (approx, excluding ears)	cm	30
	ins	12

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD DK 50g balls

Toy pictured is in colours #6242 (violet), #6123 (cyclamen) and #6222 (lemon).

1st Colour (C1)	1
2nd Colour (C2)	1
3rd Colour (C3)	1

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.
Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.
Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.



NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair 3.00mm (UK 11) (US 2) Knitting Needles.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- Washable Polyester Filling.
- Small quantity of grey yarn for embroidery.

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your toy will look like our photograph.

27 sts and 36 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 3.00mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 3.00mm Needles, cast on 40 sts. Work 54 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

BUNNY TOY

LEGS (make 2, beg at hip)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C3**, cast on 6 sts.
Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of every row until there are 20 sts.

Cont without shaping until leg measures 8 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - K10, **turn**, cast on 18 sts, **turn**, K10 ... 38 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - K16, inc once in each of next 6 sts, K16 ... 44 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - K20, inc once in each of next 4 sts, K20 ... 48 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Cont without shaping until leg measures 12 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Cast off.

FOOTPAD (make one in **C1** and one in **C2**)

Using 3.00mm Needles, cast on 6 sts.

Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until there are 14 sts.

Cont without shaping until footpad measures 4.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Dec one st at each end of every row until 8 sts rem.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

ARMS (make 2, beg at shoulder)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 2 sts.

Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of every row until there are 16 sts.

Cont without shaping until arm measures 9 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - K6, (K2tog) twice, K6 ... 14 sts.

Next row - (P2tog, P3, P2tog) twice ... 10 sts.

Cast off.

OUTER EARS (make one in **C2** and one in **C3**)

Using 3.00mm Needles, cast on 12 sts.

Work in stocking st until ear measures 3 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Inc one st at each end of next row and foll 4th row ... 16 sts.

Cont without shaping until ear measures 8 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Dec one st at each end of every row until 8 sts rem.

Cast off.

INNER EARS (make one in **C2** and one in **C3**)

Using 3.00mm Needles, cast on 8 sts.

Work in stocking st until ear measures 3 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Inc one st at each end of next row and foll 4th row ... 12 sts.

Cont without shaping until ear measures 7.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.
Dec one st at each end of every row until 6 sts rem.
Work 1 row. Cast off.

BODY (make 2 pieces)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C2**, cast on 12 sts.
1st row - (inc knitways in next st, K4, inc knitways in next st) twice ... 16 sts.
2nd row - Inc purlways in first st, purl to last st, inc purlways in last st ... 18 sts.
3rd row - (inc in next st, K7, inc in next st) twice ... 22 sts.
4th row - As 2nd row ... 24 sts.
5th row - (inc in next st, K10, inc in next st) twice ... 28 sts.
6th row - As 2nd row ... 30 sts.
7th row - (inc in next st, K13, inc in next st) twice ... 34 sts.
Tie a coloured thread at each end of last row for leg placement.
8th row - Purl.
9th row - (inc in next st, K15, inc in next st) twice ... 38 sts.
10th row - Purl.
11th row - (inc in next st, K17, inc in next st) twice ... 42 sts.
Cont without shaping until body measures 7 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.
Next row - * K4, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 35 sts.
Next row - Purl, tying a coloured thread at each end of row.
Work 4 rows stocking st.
Next row - * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 28 sts.
Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.
Next row - * K2, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 21 sts.
Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.
Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 14 sts.
Cont without shaping until body measures 11.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row. Cast off.

HEAD (beg at neck)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 10 sts.
1st row - Inc knitways once in each st ... 20 sts.
2nd and foll alt rows - Purl.
3rd row - * K1, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 30 sts.
5th row - * K2, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 40 sts.
7th row - * K3, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 50 sts.
9th row - * K4, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 60 sts.
Cont without shaping until head measures 8 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.
Next row - * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 48 sts.
Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.
Next row - * K2, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 36 sts.
Next row - Purl.
Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 24 sts.
Next row - Purl.
Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 12 sts.
Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

BELLY PATCH

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C3**, cast on 10 sts.
Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until there are 18 sts.

Work 9 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.
Cont in stocking st, dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 10 sts rem.
Work 1 row. Cast off.

TAIL

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C3**, cast on 14 sts.
Work in stocking st until tail measures 5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row. Cast off.

FINISHING

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam unless otherwise stated.

Fold legs in half, join inside leg seam and top of foot, leaving top of leg and bottom of foot open. Sew footpads in position to cast off edge of leg. Fill legs and oversew angled edge at top of leg closed. Position legs to side of body, placing narrow cast on edge of leg to coloured thread on body and start of inside leg seam to cast on edge of body. Tack legs in place along side edge of body. Fold arms in half and join seam, leaving angled edges open for filling. Fill and oversew opening closed. Position arms to top of body, noting that narrow end is top of shoulder and seam of arm should not extend past the coloured threads on the side of the body. Tack arms in place.

Place second body piece on top of first. Sew side edges of body together, taking care to catch limbs securely in seams and leaving cast on and cast off edge open. Sew cast on edge closed and fill body through neck opening. Position belly patch in place on centre of body front, lining the cast on edge up with the top of the line of increases at the bottom of the body between the legs. Using **C3**, slip stitch belly patch in place using small sts, stretching patch slightly to give it a rounded appearance. Sew side edges of head together, leaving cast on edge open. Fill head and gather opening closed. Sew cast on edge of head to neck edge of body, placing seam at back and adding more filling as necessary so the neck is strong enough to support the head.

Gather outer edges of tail and pull slightly, filling tail before pulling tightly to close opening. Sew tail to back of body. Sew inner ears to outer ears in pairs of contrasting colours and placing a small amount of filling inside. Fold ears slightly at bottom and sew to top of head as pictured. Using grey yarn, embroider mouth using straight st and french knots for eyes. Using **C2**, embroider nose using satin st. Using **C2**, embroider paw prints on **C1** footpad and use **C1** to embroider paw prints on **C2** footpad in satin st as pictured.

Style 3 Fiona Frog Sweater

SKILL LEVEL

Easy



MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Months		0	3	6	9	12	18
To Fit Underarm	cm	35	40	45	47	50	53
	ins	14	16	18	18½	19½	21
Actual Size (at underarm)	cm	39	43	48	52	56	60
	ins	15½	17	19	20½	22	23½
Length (approx)	cm	21	25	28	30	32	34
	ins	8	10	11	12	12½	13½
Sleeve Length (approx)	cm	11	13	15	16	17	19
	ins	4½	5	6	6½	6½	7½

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD 4 PLY 50g balls

Garment pictured is in colours #4198 (iced green), #4282 (cream) and #4294 (new berry).

Main Colour (MC)	2	2	3	3	3	4
1st Contrast (C1)	1	1	1	1	1	1
2nd Contrast (C2)	1	1	1	1	1	1

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair each 3.25mm (UK 10) (US 3) and 2.75mm (UK 12) (US 2) Knitting Needles.
- 2 Stitch Holders and 1 Safety Pin.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- 2 Coats Buttons (#0872).

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your garment will look like our photograph.

28 sts and 40 rows to 10 cm over patt, using 3.25mm Needles.

To work approx a 14 cm x 14 cm tension square, use 3.25mm Needles, cast on 39 sts. Work 56 rows patt as for Back (1st row is wrong side). Cast off loosely. Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

SWEATER

BACK

Using 2.75mm Needles and MC, cast on 57 (63-69-75-81-87) sts.

1st row (right side) - K2, * P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

2nd row - K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 2 (2-3-3-4-4) times, then 1st row once ... 7 (7-9-9-11-11) rows rib in all.

Change to 3.25mm Needles and beg patt.

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Note - This instruction has been written specifically for the stitch pattern given. Using any other stitch may result in a garment that is the wrong shape or size.

1st row (wrong side) - Purl.

2nd row - Knit.

3rd row - K3, * P3, K3, rep from * to end.

4th row - P1, knit into next st one row below, P1, * K3, P1, knit into next st one row below, P1, rep from * to end.

5th row - Purl.

6th row - Knit.

7th row - P3, * K3, P3, rep from * to end.

8th row - K3, * P1, knit into next st one row below, P1, K3, rep from * to end.

Rows 1 to 8 incl form patt.

Cont in patt until work measures approx 11 (14-16-17-19-20) cm from beg, ending with a 1st or 5th patt row. **

SHAPE ARMHOLES -

Keeping patt correct, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 53 (59-65-71-77-83) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 49 (55-61-65-69-73) sts rem.

Cont in patt without shaping until **armhole** measures 10 (11-12-13-13-14) cm, working last row on wrong side.

SHAPE SHOULDERS -

Cast off 4 (5-5-6-7-7) sts at beg of next 4 rows, then 4 (4-6-6-6-7) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Leave rem 25 (27-29-29-29-31) sts on a stitch holder.

FRONT

Work as for Back to **. Break off **MC**.

SHAPE ARMHOLES -

Using **C1** and working in stocking st for rem, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 53 (**59-65-71-77-83**) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 49 (**55-61-65-69-73**) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until there are 14 (**14-14-16-16-18**) rows **less** than Back to beg of shoulder shaping, thus ending with a purl row.

SHAPE NECK -

Next row (right side) - K17 (**19-21-23-25-27**), **turn**.

Cont on these 17 (**19-21-23-25-27**) sts.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until 12 (**14-16-18-20-21**) sts rem.

Work 0 (**0-0-2-2-3**) rows without shaping.

Note - This side of neck is 8 rows less to accommodate shoulder opening.

SHAPE SHOULDER -

Cast off 4 (**5-5-6-7-7**) sts at beg of next row and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 4 (**4-6-6-6-7**) sts.

Slip next 15 (**17-19-19-19-19**) sts onto a stitch holder and leave.

With right side facing, join **C1** to rem sts and knit to end.

Cont on these 17 (**19-21-23-25-27**) sts.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until 12 (**14-16-18-20-21**) sts rem.

Work 9 (**9-9-11-11-13**) rows without shaping.

SHAPE SHOULDER -

Cast off 4 (**5-5-6-7-7**) sts at beg of next row and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 4 (**4-6-6-6-7**) sts.

SLEEVES

Using 2.75mm Needles and **MC**, cast on 35 (**35-35-41-41-41**) sts.

Work 7 (**7-9-9-11-11**) rows rib as for lower band of Back, inc 4 sts evenly across last row ... 39 (**39-39-45-45-45**) sts.

Change to 3.25mm Needles and **beg patt**.

Work 5 rows patt as for Back (1st row is wrong side).

Cont in patt (8 rows form patt rep) and working extra sts into patt, inc one st at each end of next row, then in every foll - 6th (**6th-4th-6th-4th-4th**) row until there are 43 (**45-49-57-49-49**) sts, then in every foll - 8th (**8th-6th-8th-6th-6th**) row until there are 47 (**49-55-59-61-63**) sts.

Cont in patt without shaping until work measures approx 11 (**13-15-16-17-19**) cm from beg, ending with a 1st or 5th patt row.

SHAPE TOP -

Keeping patt correct, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 43 (**45-51-55-57-59**) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 39 (**41-47-49-49-49**) sts rem.

Work 1 row patt. Cast off.

LEFT BACK SHOULDER BAND

Using 2.75mm Needles and **MC**, cast on 7 sts.

Work 16 (**18-20-24-26-28**) rows rib as for lower band of Back. Break off yarn. Leave these sts on a safety pin.

LEFT FRONT SHOULDER BAND

Using 2.75mm Needles and **MC**, cast on 7 sts.

Work 8 (**8-8-10-12-14**) rows rib as for lower band of Back.

Next row - Rib 3, cast off 2 sts, rib 2.

Next row - Rib 2, **turn**, cast on 2 sts, **turn**, rib 3 ... buttonhole.

Work 7 (**9-11-13-13-13**) rows rib.

Do not break off yarn. Leave sts on needle.

NECKBAND

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam.

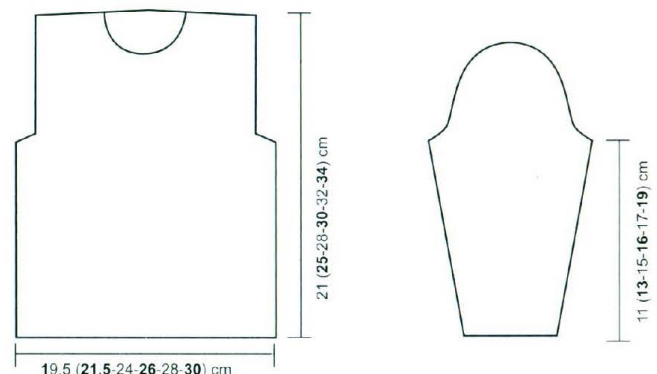
Join right shoulder seam. With right side facing, holding 2.75mm Needle with left front shoulder band sts and using **MC**, knit up 10 (**10-10-12-12-14**) sts evenly along left side of neck, knit across sts from front stitch holder, knit up 14 (**14-14-16-16-18**) sts evenly along right side of neck, knit across sts from back stitch holder - dec one st in centre, then rib across sts from left back shoulder band ... 77 (**81-85-89-89-95**) sts.

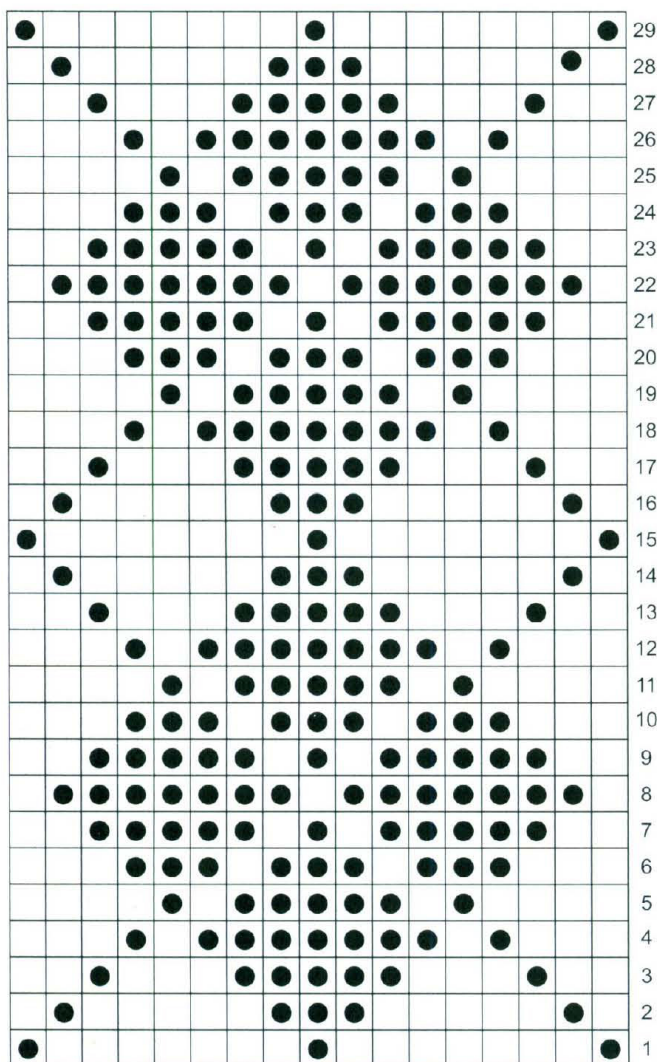
Work 9 rows rib as for lower band of Back, beg with a 2nd row, and working a buttonhole (as before) in 4th and 5th rows. Cast off loosely in rib.

MAKE UP

Embroidery - Using **C2**, work knitting stitch embroidery from Graph to **C1** section of front of sweater as pictured, noting for **sizes 0 and 3 months only** to beg with a 15th row of graph, thus having one diamond.

Sew shoulder bands in position. Place left front shoulder band over left back shoulder band and oversew together at armhole edge. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves, easing to fit. Sew on buttons. Sew in all ends.





KEY

□ = C1

● = C2

KNITTING STITCH EMBROIDERY

Knitting Stitch is worked over each knit stitch with a contrasting colour. Use the same yarn (or thickness yarn) as the knitted garment. The embroidery will cover the stitch beneath if you are careful not to pull the embroidered stitch too tightly. This seam is easy to do - especially if you do the embroidery before you sew up the garment.



1. Using a wool needle, bring the needle from the back of knitting, through the centre of the stitch below the stitch to be covered.
2. Take the needle from right to left under both strands of the stitch above the stitch to be covered.
3. Insert the needle back down into the start of the stitch and take the needle behind two strands in the row below and across to the left into the centre of the next stitch. Draw yarn through and smooth to cover the stitch below - One Knitting Stitch Embroidery is completed.
4. Repeat this action, always taking the needle cleanly under loops and working evenly across row.

NOTE – Using a wool needle - with a blunt point - will make it easier to embroider.

WOOL NEEDLE



Wool needles, Tapestry needles or Knitters needles i.e.- those with blunt ends instead of sharp points are ideal for sewing up knitted garments. Use the same yarn as that in which you knitted your garment. If your garment was knitted using 2 strands of yarn together, then when sewing up your garment you should also use 2 strands of yarn together. Certain fashion yarns are not suitable for sewing up and suitable matching plain yarn should be used instead. Seams should be sewn as instructed, in the order given. Do not start with a knot in your yarn when sewing a seam. Leave end approx 15cm long before commencing, then sew in after seam has been completed.

Style 4 Fiona Frog Toy

SKILL LEVEL

Intermediate

MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Height (approx)	cm	20
	ins	8

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD 4 PLY 50g balls

Toy pictured is in colours #4282 (cream), #4294 (new berry), #4220 (blue) and #4198 (iced green).

1st Colour (C1)	1
2nd Colour (C2)	1
3rd Colour (C3)	1
4th Colour (C4)	1

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.



NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair 2.00mm (UK 14) (US 0) Knitting Needles.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- Washable Polyester Filling.
- Small quantity of black yarn for embroidery.

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your toy will look like our photograph.

36 sts and 44 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 2.00mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 2.00mm Needles, cast on 54 sts. Work 66 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

FROG TOY

LEGS (make 2)

Using 2.00mm Needles and **C4**, cast on 15 sts.

Work 4 rows stocking st.

5th row - * inc in next st, K4, rep from * to end ... 18 sts.

Work 5 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

11th row - * inc in next st, K5, rep from * to end ... 21 sts.

Cont in stocking st, beg with a purl row, until leg measures 7.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 14 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 7 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

ARMS (make 2, beg at shoulder)

Using 2.00mm Needles and **C4**, cast on 12 sts.

Work 4 rows stocking st.

5th row - * inc in next st, K3, rep from * to end ... 15 sts.

Work 5 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

11th row - * inc in next st, K4, rep from * to end ... 18 sts.

Cont in stocking st, beg with a purl row, until arm measures 6 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 12 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 6 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

BODY (beg at base)

Using 2.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 80 sts.

Work rows 1 to 29 incl from Graph.

Using **C1**, **30th row** - Purl. Break off **C1**.

Using **C4** for rem, work in stocking st until body measures 8 cm from beg, ending with a purl row and dec 2 sts evenly across last row ... 78 sts.

Next row - * K4, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 65 sts.

Work 7 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 52 sts.

Work 5 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K2, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 39 sts.

Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 26 sts.

Next row - * P2tog, rep from * to end ... 13 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

BODY BASE

Using 2.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 12 sts.

Work in stocking st, inc one st at each end of every row until there are 24 sts.
 Cont without shaping until body base measures 6 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.
 Dec one st at each end of every row until 12 sts rem.
 Cast off.

EYES (make 2)

Using 2.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 16 sts.
 Work in stocking st until eye measures 1.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.
Next row - * K2tog, K2, rep from * to end ... 12 sts.
Next row - Purl.
Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 6 sts.
 Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

FINISHING

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam unless otherwise stated.

Fold body in half and sew side edges together to form centre back seam.

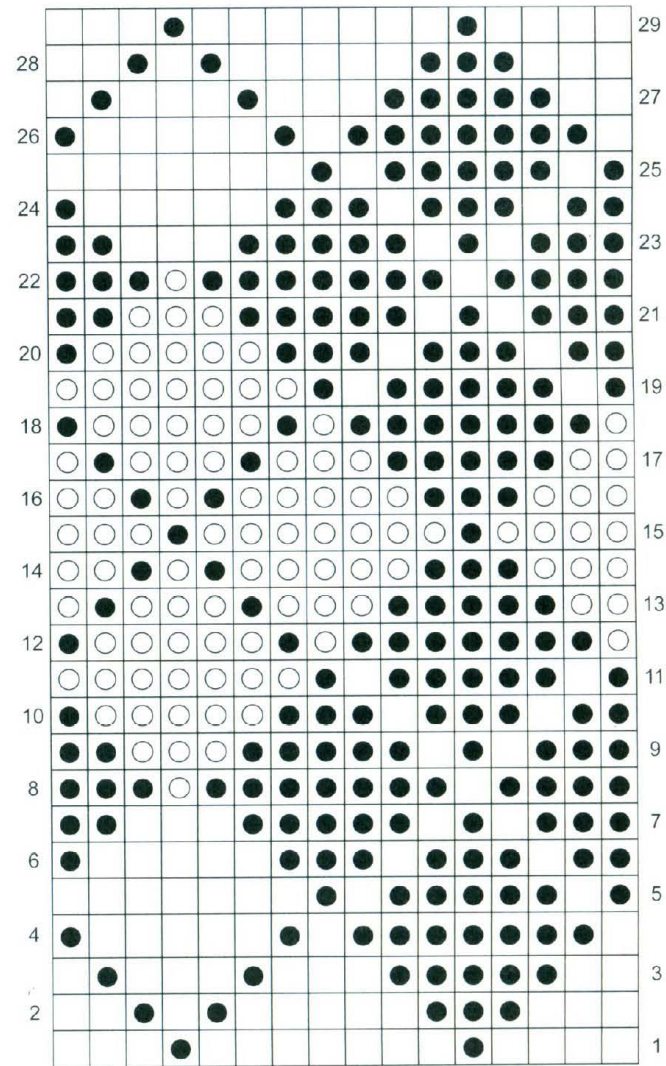
Fold legs in half and sew back leg seam, leaving top of leg open. Fill legs and oversew top of leg closed. Fold cast on edge of body in half and mark as centre front of body. Position legs 1 cm either side of this marker. Tack legs in place along cast on edge of body. Pin body base in position and sew in place, taking care to catch legs securely in seam. Leave an opening for filling approx 4 cm wide and easing body to body base to fit if necessary. Fill body and sew opening closed.

Fold arms in half and sew seam, leaving cast on edges open for filling. Fill and oversew opening closed. Position arm to beg of **C4** section on body and sew securely in place.

Fold eyes in half and sew side edges together. Fill lightly and sew in place on top of head. Using black yarn, embroider french knots for pupils on eyes and straight st for mouth as pictured.

TIPS FOR MAKING TOYS

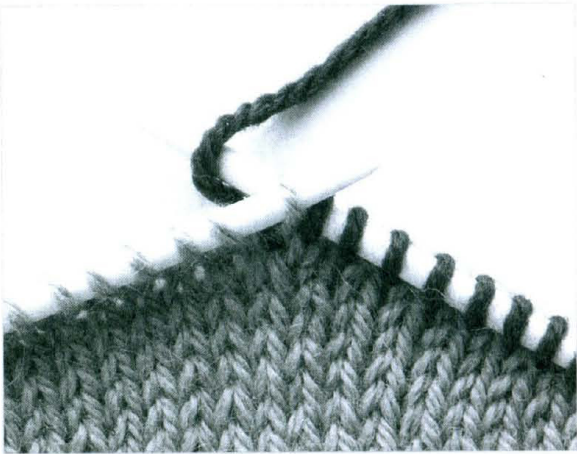
- Leave long tails on pieces and use these to sew seams for toy. It helps to maintain the integrity of the toy fabric.
- Do not trim ends too short or they will work loose over time - instead sink the yarn tail by sewing through the toy several times, taking care to not pull too hard and make dimples (unless you want them) before trimming thread carefully.
- Add labels to each piece as you make them to make it easier to identify each part when making up your toy.
- A long doll maker's needle is useful for sculpturing faces and attaching limbs to bodies.



KEY

-  = C1
-  = C2
-  = C3

MAKE 1 (M1)



Pick up loop which lies before next stitch, place on left hand needle and knit (or purl) into back of loop.

Style 5 Mikey Mouse Shawl Collar Sweater

SKILL LEVEL

Intermediate

MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Months		0	3	6	9	12	18
To Fit Underarm	cm	35	40	45	47	50	53
	ins	14	16	18	18½	19½	21
Actual Size (at underarm)	cm	38	43	49	51	55	58
	ins	15	17	19½	20	21½	23
Length (approx)	cm	21	25	28	30	31	34
	ins	8	10	11	12	12	13½
Sleeve Length (approx)	cm	11	14	16	17	18	20
	ins	4½	5½	6½	6½	7	8

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD 4 PLY 50g balls

Garment pictured is in colours #4136 (denim), #4287 (navy) and #4220 (blue).

1st Colour (C1)	1	2	2	2	2	3
2nd Colour (C2)	1	1	1	1	1	1
3rd Colour (C3)	1	1	1	1	1	1

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.
Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.
Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.



NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair each 3.25mm (UK 10) (US 3) and 2.75mm (UK 12) (US 2) Knitting Needles.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your garment will look like our photograph.

30 sts and 58 rows to 10 cm over patt, using 3.25mm Needles.

To work approx a 13 cm x 13 cm tension square, use 3.25mm Needles, cast on 39 sts. Work 76 rows patt as for Back. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

SWEATER

BACK

Using 2.75mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 55 (**63-71-73-79-83**) sts.

1st row (right side) - K2, * P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

2nd row - K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 3 (**3-4-4-5-5**) times, inc 4 (**4-4-6-6-6**) sts evenly across last row ... 59 (**67-75-79-85-89**) sts, 8 (**8-10-10-12-12**) rows rib in all.

Change to 3.25mm Needles and **beg patt and stripes**.

Note - This instruction has been written specifically for the stitch pattern given. Using any other stitch may result in a garment that is the wrong shape or size.

Work in patt as below, AT SAME TIME working in stripes of 2 rows each **C2**, **C1** and **C3** throughout (6 rows of stripes). Do not break off yarn after completing each stripe, instead carry colour not in use loosely up side of work until required again.

1st row (right side) - Knit.

2nd row - Purl.

3rd row - K1, * sl 1 purlways, K1, rep from * to end.

4th row - K1, * yft, sl 1 purlways, ybk, K1, rep from * to end.

5th row - Knit.

6th row - Purl.

7th row - K2, * sl 1 purlways, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

8th row - K2, * yft, sl 1 purlways, ybk, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

Rows 1 to 8 incl form patt.

Cont in patt and stripes until work measures 11 (**14-16-17-18-20**) cm from beg, working last row on wrong side.

SHAPE ARMHOLES -

Keeping patt and stripes correct, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 55 (**63-71-75-81-85**) sts. **

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll - 4th (**4th-4th-4th-alt-alt**) row until 51 (**59-65-69-71-73**) sts rem.

Cont in patt and stripes without shaping until **armhole** measures 10 (**11-12-13-13-14**) cm, working last row on wrong side.

SHAPE SHOULDERS -

Cast off 4 (**5-6-6-7-7**) sts at beg of next 4 rows, then 4 (**5-5-7-6-6**) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Cast off rem 27 (**29-31-31-31-33**) sts loosely.

FRONT

Work as for Back to **.

SHAPE NECK -

Next row (right side) - Patt 2tog, patt 21 (**25-28-29-32-34**), cast off next 9 (**9-11-13-13-13**) sts loosely, patt to last 2 sts, patt 2tog.

*** Cont on these 22 (**26-29-30-33-35**) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in every foll - 4th (**4th-4th-4th-alt-alt**) row 1 (**1-2-2-4-5**) time/s, AT SAME TIME dec one st at neck edge in 2nd row, then in every foll - 4th (**4th-4th-6th-6th-6th**) row 6 (**6-3-5-5-6**) times, then in every foll - 6th (**6th-6th-8th-8th-8th**) row until 12 (**15-17-19-20-20**) sts rem.

Cont in patt and stripes without shaping until **armhole** measures same as Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with same patt row.

Work 1 row patt.

SHAPE SHOULDER -

Cast off 4 (**5-6-6-7-7**) sts at beg of next row and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 4 (**5-5-7-6-6**) sts. ***

With wrong side facing, join yarn to rem sts.

Rep from *** to ***, working 1 row **less** before shoulder shaping.

SLEEVES

Using 2.75mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 35 (**35-39-39-39-41**) sts.

Work 8 (**8-10-10-12-12**) rows rib as for lower band of Back, inc 4 sts evenly across last row ... 39 (**39-43-43-43-45**) sts. Change to 3.25mm Needles and **beg patt and stripes**.

Work 8 rows patt and stripes as for Back.

Cont in patt and stripes and working extra sts into patt, inc one st at each end of next row, then in every foll - 4th (**6th-6th-6th-6th-6th**) row until there are 41 (**45-49-59-63-63**) sts, then in every foll - 6th (**8th-8th-8th-8th-8th**) row until there are 51 (**53-59-63-65-69**) sts.

Cont in patt and stripes without shaping until work measures same as Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with same patt row.

SHAPE TOP -

Keeping patt and stripes correct, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 47 (**49-55-59-61-65**) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll - 4th (**4th-4th-4th-alt-alt**) row until 43 (**45-49-53-51-53**) sts rem.

Work 1 row patt.

Cast off very loosely.

SHAWL COLLAR

Using 2.75mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 129 (**141-153-157-157-169**) sts.

Work in rib as for lower band of Back until work measures 3 (**3-3.5-4-4-4**) cm from beg, ending with a 2nd row.

Keeping rib correct, cast off 3 sts at beg of every row until 63 (**63-63-67-67-67**) sts rem.

Next row - Cast off 3 sts, rib 9 (**9-9-11-11-11**), (sl 1, K2tog, pssso) 12 (**12-12-13-13-13**) times, rib to end.

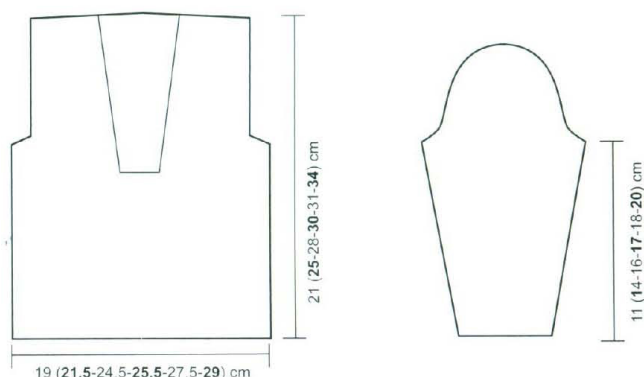
Next row - Cast off 3 sts, rib to end.

Cast off rem 33 (**33-33-35-35-35**) sts very loosely in rib.

MAKE UP

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam.

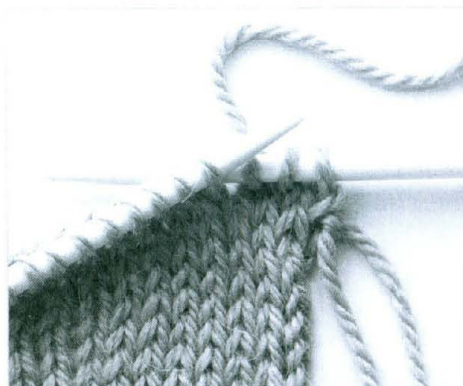
Join shoulder, side and sleeve seams, matching patt. Sew in sleeves easing to fit. Sew shaped edge of shawl collar to neck edge, placing cast off sts to back neck and easing collar to fit. Sew end of rows on left end of collar to sts cast off at centre front, then slip stitch rem end of collar in position underneath. Sew in all ends.



JOINING IN YARN

Never tie knots in the middle of a row. It's amazing how they always seem to work their way to the front, making your knitting look uneven and messy.

With yarn from a new ball, leave 15 cm and begin working the next row of pattern. After working a few stitches, tie the two ends together in a loose knot at the side of the work. These ends should be sewn in later.



Style 6 Mikey Mouse Toy

SKILL LEVEL

Intermediate

MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Height (approx, excluding ears)	cm	20
	ins	8

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD 4 PLY 50g balls

Toy pictured is in colours #4283 (natural), #4287 (navy), #4136 (denim), #4220 (blue) and #4294 (new berry).

1st Colour (C1)	1
2nd Colour (C2)	1
3rd Colour (C3)	1
4th Colour (C4)	1
5th Colour (C5)	1

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.



NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair 2.00mm (UK 14) (US 0) Knitting Needles.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- Washable Polyester Filling.
- Small quantity of black yarn for embroidery.

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your toy will look like our photograph.

36 sts and 44 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 2.00mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 2.00mm Needles, cast on 54 sts. Work 66 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

MOUSE TOY

LEGS (make 2)

Using 2.00mm Needles and C1, cast on 15 sts. Work 4 rows stocking st.

5th row - * inc in next st, K4, rep from * to end ... 18 sts. Work 5 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

11th row - * inc in next st, K5, rep from * to end ... 21 sts. Cont in stocking st, beg with a purl row, until leg measures 7.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 14 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 7 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

ARMS (make 2, beg at shoulder)

Using 2.00mm Needles and C1, cast on 12 sts.

Work 4 rows stocking st.

5th row - * inc in next st, K3, rep from * to end ... 15 sts.

Work 5 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

11th row - * inc in next st, K4, rep from * to end ... 18 sts.

Cont in stocking st, beg with a purl row, until arm measures 6 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 12 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 6 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

BODY (beg at base)

Body Pattern - Work body pattern as below, at same time work in stripes of 2 rows C2, 2 rows C3 and 2 rows C4.

1st row (right side) - Knit.

2nd row - Purl.

3rd row - K1, * sl 1 purlways, K1, rep from * to end.

4th row - K1, * yft, sl 1 purlways, ybk, K1, rep from * to end.

5th row - Knit.

6th row - Purl.

7th row - K2, * sl 1 purlways, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

8th row - K2, * yft, sl 1 purlways, ybk, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

Rows 1 to 8 incl form body pattern.

Using 2.00mm Needles and C2, cast on 83 sts.

Work in body patt and stripes (as above) until body measures approx 7 cm from beg, ending with a 2nd row in C3.

Using C1 only for rem, work in stocking st until body measures 8 cm from beg, ending with a purl row and dec 5 sts evenly across last row ... 78 sts.

Next row - * K4, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 65 sts.

Work 7 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 52 sts.

Work 5 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K2, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 39 sts.

Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 26 sts.

Next row - * P2tog, rep from * to end ... 13 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

BODY BASE

Using 2.00mm Needles and **C2**, cast on 12 sts.

Work in stocking st, inc one st at each end of every row until there are 24 sts.

Cont without shaping until body base measures 6 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Dec one st at each end of every row until 12 sts rem.

Cast off.

EARS (make 2 pieces in **C1** and 2 pieces in **C5**)

Using 2.00mm Needles, cast on 9 sts.

Work in stocking st, inc one st at each end of every foll 3rd row until there are 21 sts.

Work 5 rows stocking st.

Dec one st at each end of every row until 7 sts rem.

Cast off.

TAIL

Using 2.00mm Needles and **C5**, cast on 15 sts.

Work in stocking st until tail measures 5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 12 sts.

Cont in stocking st, beg with a purl row, until tail measures 9 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K2, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 9 sts.

Cont in stocking st, beg with a purl row, until tail measures 12 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 6 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

FINISHING

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam unless otherwise stated.

Fold body in half and sew side edges together to form centre back seam, taking care to match stripes.

Fold legs in half and sew back leg seam, leaving top of leg open. Fill legs and oversew top of leg closed. Fold cast on edge of body in half and mark as centre front of body. Position legs 1 cm either side of this marker. Tack legs in place along cast on edge of body. Pin body base in position and sew in place, taking care to catch legs securely in seam. Leave an opening for filling approx 4 cm wide and easing body to body base to fit if necessary. Fill body and sew opening closed.

Fold arms in half and sew seam, leaving cast on edges open for filling. Fill and oversew opening closed. Position arm to

bottom of **C1** section on body and sew securely in place.

Sew ear pieces together in pairs, having a **C1** ear to a **C5** ear, leaving cast on edges open. Oversew cast on edge closed. Fold cast on edge in half and sew ears to top of head having **C5** ear facing forward.

Fold tail in half and sew side edges together. Do not fill tail. Oversew cast on edge and sew tail securely to back seam at base of body.

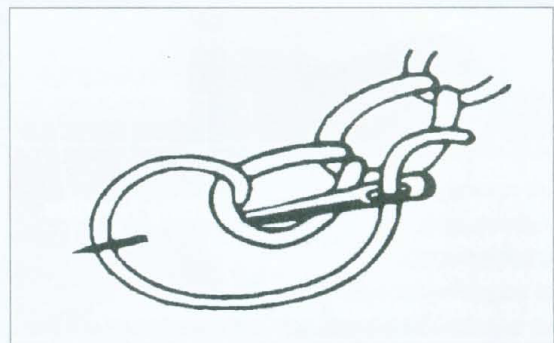
Using **C5** and satin stitch, embroider nose as pictured.

Cut 4 x 20 cm lengths of **C5** for whiskers. Using needle, thread strands together through face on either side of nose. Tie ends in a knot on either side of nose and trim to 3 cm.

Using black yarn, embroider french knots for eyes and straight st for mouth as pictured.

CHAIN STITCH EMBROIDERY

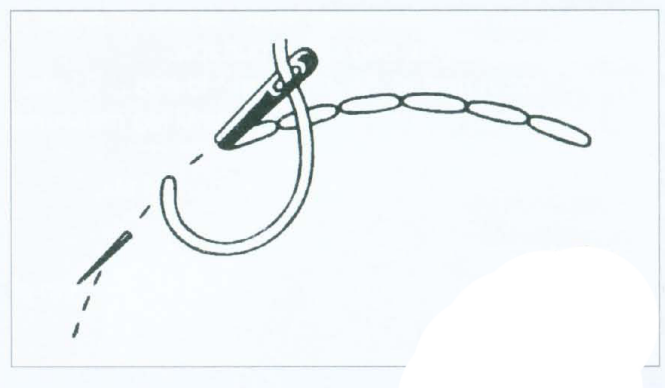
Chain Stitch is worked in any direction and is best when worked evenly.



Bring the thread from back to the front and hold thread down with the left thumb. Insert the needle back down where the yarn emerged then bring through to the front again, the length desired for the stitch. Pull the thread through, keeping the working thread under the needle point. Be careful not to pull the embroidered stitch too tightly.

STRAIGHT STITCH EMBROIDERY

Bring the thread through on the stitch line, then take a small backward stitch through the fabric. Bring the needle through again a little in front of the first stitch, take another stitch, inserting the needle at the point where it first came through.



Style 7 Douggie Doggie Sweater

SKILL LEVEL

Easy

MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Months		0	3	6	9	12	18
To Fit Underarm	cm	35	40	45	47	50	53
	ins	14	16	18	18½	19½	21
Actual Size (approx at underarm)	cm	38	43	49	51	55	58
	ins	15	17	19½	20	21½	23
Length	cm	21	25	28	30	32	34
	ins	8	10	11	12	12½	13½
Sleeve Length	cm	11	13	15	16	17	19
	ins	4½	5	6	6½	6½	7½

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD DK 50g balls

Garment pictured is in colours #6171 (delphinium) and #6167 (navy).

Main Colour (MC)	2	3	3	4	4	5
Contrast Colour (CC)	1	1	1	1	2	2

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.



NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair each 4.00mm (UK 8) (US 6) and 3.25mm (UK 10) (US 3) Knitting Needles.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- Small quantity of grey yarn for embroidery.

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your garment will look like our photograph.

22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 4.00mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 4.00mm Needles, cast on 33 sts. Work 44 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

SWEATER

BACK

Using 3.25mm Needles and **CC**, cast on 43 (**51-55-59-63-67**) sts.

Knit 9 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side). Break off **CC**. Change to 4.00mm Needles.

Using **MC** for rem, work in stocking st (beg with a knit row) until work measures 11 (**14-16-17-19-20**) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE ARMHOLES -

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 39 (**47-51-55-59-63**) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 35 (**43-47-49-53-55**) sts rem. **

Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures 10 (**11-12-13-13-14**) cm, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE SHOULDERS -

Cast off 4 (**6-6-7-8-8**) sts at beg of next 2 rows, then 4 (**5-6-6-7-7**) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Cast off rem 19 (**21-23-23-23-25**) sts loosely.

FRONT

Work as for Back to **.

Work 1 row.

SHAPE NECK -

Next row - K14 (**18-19-20-22-23**), cast off next 7 (**7-9-9-9-9**) sts loosely, knit to end.

Cont on last 14 (**18-19-20-22-23**) sts.

Dec one st at neck edge in every foll alt row until 10 (**14-16-18-20-19**) sts rem, then in every foll 4th row until 8 (**11-12-13-15-15**) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures same as Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a purl row. Work 1 row.

SHAPE SHOULDER -

Cast off 4 (**6-6-7-8-8**) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row. Cast off rem 4 (**5-6-6-7-7**) sts.

With wrong side facing, join **MC** to rem sts.

Cont on these 14 (**18-19-20-22-23**) sts.

Dec one st at neck edge in every foll alt row until 10 (**14-16-18-20-19**) sts rem, then in every foll 4th row until 8 (**11-12-13-15-15**) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures same as Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE SHOULDER -

Cast off 4 (**6-6-7-8-8**) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row. Cast off rem 4 (**5-6-6-7-7**) sts.

SLEEVES

Using 3.25mm Needles and **CC**, cast on 27 (**29-29-31-31-33**) sts.

Knit 9 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side). Break off **CC**. Change to 4.00mm Needles.

Using **MC** for rem, work 2 rows stocking st.

3rd row - K2, **M1**, knit to last 2 sts, **M1**, K2.

Cont in stocking st (beg with a purl row), inc one st (as before) at each end of every foll - 4th (**6th-4th-4th-4th-4th**) row until there are 37 (**39-45-47-49-51**) sts.

Cont without shaping until work measures 11 (**13-15-16-17-19**) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE TOP -

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 33 (**35-41-43-45-47**) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 29 (**31-37-37-39-39**) sts rem.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

SHAWL COLLAR

Using 3.25mm Needles and **CC**, cast on 74 (**82-90-94-94-102**) sts.

Knit in garter st until work measures 3 (**3-4-4-4-4**) cm from beg, working last row on wrong side.

Cast off 2 sts at beg of every row until 26 (**26-26-30-30-30**) sts rem.

Next row - Cast off 2 sts, K3 (**3-3-5-5-5**), (K2tog) 8 times, knit to end.

Next row - Cast off 2 sts, knit to end.

Cast off rem 14 (**14-14-18-18-18**) sts loosely knitways.

EARS (make 2)

Using 3.25mm Needles and **MC**, cast on 8 sts.

Knit in garter st until ear measures 4.5 cm from beg, working last row on wrong side. Break off **MC**.

Using **CC**, knit 6 rows garter st.

Next row - K2tog, K4, K2tog ... 6 sts.

Next row - Knit.

Next row - K2tog, K2, K2tog ... 4 sts. Cast off knitways.

EYE PATCH

Using 3.25mm Needles and **CC**, cast on 3 sts.

1st row - Inc knitways in first st, K1, inc knitways in last st ... 5 sts.

Knit 5 rows garter st.

7th row - K2tog, K1, K2tog ... 3 sts. Cast off knitways.

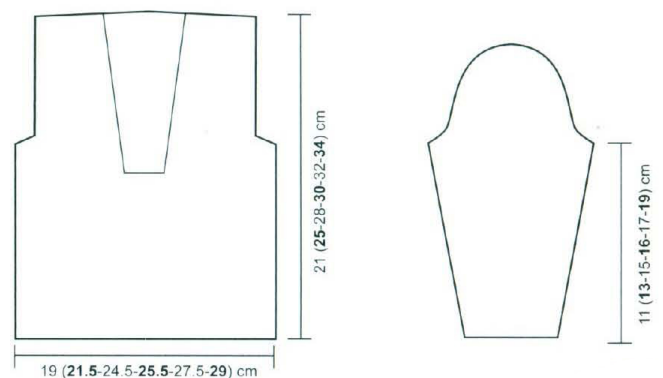
MAKE UP

Embroidery - Using **CC** and chain stitch, outline head of dog to front of sweater as pictured. Fold ears in half at cast on edge and sew to side edges of head outline.

Cut 3 x 20 cm lengths of **CC** and pull through top of head. Tie in a knot and trim to 3 cm. Sew eye patch to inside of outline of head level with ear as pictured. Using grey yarn, embroider facial features, using french knots for eyes, satin stitch for nose and straight stitch for mouth.

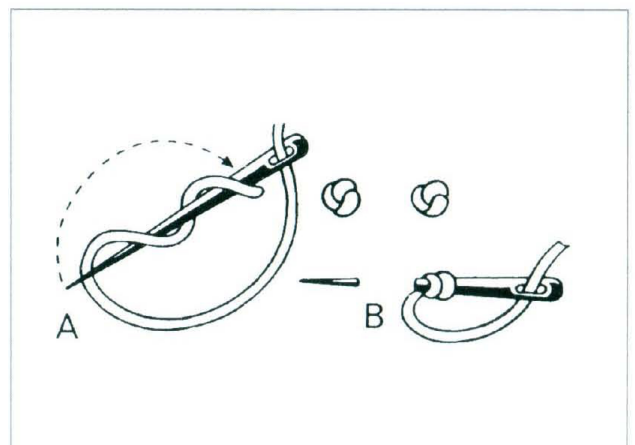
Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam.

Join shoulder, side and sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves. Sew shaped edge of shawl collar to neck edge, placing cast off sts to back neck and easing collar to fit. Sew end of rows on left end of collar to sts cast off at centre front, then slip stitch rem end of collar in position underneath. Sew in all ends.



FRENCH KNOTS

Bring the thread up through the fabric at the required position. Hold the thread down with your left thumb and encircle the thread twice with the needle as shown (A). Still holding the thread firmly, twist the needle back to the starting point and insert it close to where the thread was first drawn through the fabric (see arrow). Pull the thread through to the back and secure for a single French Knot, or pass on to the position of the next stitch (B).



Style 8 Douggie Doggie Toy

SKILL LEVEL

Intermediate

MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Height (approx)	cm	30
	ins	12

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD DK 50g balls

Toy pictured is in colours #6171 (delphinium) and #6167 (navy).

Main Colour (MC)

2

Contrast Colour (CC)

1

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.



NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair 3.00mm (UK 11) (US 2) Knitting Needles.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- Washable Polyester Filling.
- Small quantity of grey yarn for embroidery.

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your toy will look like our photograph.

27 sts and 36 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 3.00mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 3.00mm Needles, cast on 40 sts. Work 54 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

FOOTPAD (make 2)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **CC**, cast on 6 sts.

Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until there are 14 sts.

Cont without shaping until footpad measures 4.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Dec one st at each end of every row until 8 sts rem.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

ARMS (make 2, beg at shoulder)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **MC**, cast on 2 sts.

Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of every row until there are 16 sts.

Cont without shaping until arm measures 9 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - K6, (K2tog) twice, K6 ... 14 sts.

Next row - (P2tog, P3, P2tog) twice ... 10 sts.

Cast off.

EARS (make 4 pieces)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **MC**, cast on 6 sts.

Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of 5th row, then in every foll 6th row until there are 12 sts.

Cont without shaping until ear measures 7 cm from beg, ending with a purl row. Break off **MC**.

Using **CC** for rem, cont in stocking st until ear measures 9 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Dec one st at each end of every row until 6 sts rem.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

BODY (make 2 pieces)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **MC**, cast on 12 sts.

1st row - (inc knitways in next st, K4, inc knitways in next st) twice ... 16 sts.

2nd row - Inc purlways in first st, purl to last st, inc purlways in last st ... 18 sts.

DOG TOY

LEGS (make 2, beg at hip)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **MC**, cast on 6 sts.

Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of every row until there are 20 sts.

Cont without shaping until leg measures 8 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - K10, **turn**, cast on 18 sts, **turn**, K10 ... 38 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - K16, inc once in each of next 6 sts, K16 ... 44 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - K20, inc once in each of next 4 sts, K20 ... 48 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Cont without shaping until leg measures 12 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Cast off.

3rd row - (inc in next st, K7, inc in next st) twice ... 22 sts.
4th row - As 2nd row ... 24 sts.
5th row - (inc in next st, K10, inc in next st) twice ... 28 sts.
6th row - As 2nd row ... 30 sts.
7th row - (inc in next st, K13, inc in next st) twice ... 34 sts.
 Tie a coloured thread at each end of last row for leg placement.
8th row - Purl.
9th row - (inc in next st, K15, inc in next st) twice ... 38 sts.
10th row - Purl.
11th row - (inc in next st, K17, inc in next st) twice ... 42 sts.
 Cont without shaping until body measures 7 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.
Next row - * K4, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 35 sts.
Next row - Purl, tying coloured threads at each end of row. Work 4 rows stocking st.
Next row - * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 28 sts.
 Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.
Next row - * K2, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 21 sts.
 Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.
Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 14 sts.
 Cont without shaping until body measures 11.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row. Cast off.

HEAD (beg at neck)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **MC**, cast on 10 sts.
1st row - Inc knitways once in each st ... 20 sts.
2nd and foll alt rows - Purl.
3rd row - * K1, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 30 sts.
5th row - * K2, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 40 sts.
7th row - * K3, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 50 sts.
9th row - * K4, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 60 sts.
 Cont without shaping until head measures 8 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.
Next row - * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 48 sts.
 Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.
Next row - * K2, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 36 sts.
Next row - Purl.
Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 24 sts.
Next row - Purl.
Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 12 sts.
 Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

CHEST PATCH

Using 3.00mm Needles and **CC**, cast on 8 sts.
 Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until there are 14 sts.
 Cont without shaping until patch measures 5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row. Cast off.

TAIL (beg at base)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **CC**, cast on 12 sts.
 Working in stocking st, dec one st at each end of 3rd row, then in every foll 4th row until 4 sts rem.
 Cont without shaping until tail measures 7 cm from beg, ending with a purl row. Cast off.

PATCHES (make 4)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **CC**, cast on 3 sts.
 Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of every row until there are 9 sts.
 Cont without shaping until patch measures 3 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.
 Dec one st at each end of every row until 3 sts rem.
 Cast off purlways.

FINISHING

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam unless otherwise stated.

Fold legs in half, join inside leg seam and top of foot, leaving top of leg and bottom of foot open. Sew footpads in position to cast off edge of leg. Fill legs and oversew angled edge at top of leg closed. Position legs to side of body, placing narrow cast on edge of leg to coloured thread on body and start of inside leg seam to cast on edge of body. Tack legs in place along side edge of body.

Fold arms in half and join seam, leaving angled edges open for filling. Fill and oversew opening closed. Position arms to top of body, noting that narrow end is top of shoulder and seam of arm should not extend past the coloured threads on the side of the body. Tack arms in place.

Place second body piece on top of first. Sew side edges of body together, taking care to catch limbs securely in seams and leaving cast on and cast off edge open. Sew cast on edge closed and fill body through neck opening. Position chest patch in place on centre of body front, close to neck. Slip stitch chest patch in place, stretching patch slightly to give it a rounded appearance.

Sew side edges of head together, leaving cast on edge open. Fill head and gather opening closed. Sew cast on edge of head to neck edge of body, placing seam at back and adding more filling as necessary so the neck is strong enough to support the head.

Fold tail in half and sew side edges together, adding filling as you go. Sew tail to back of body.

Sew ear pieces together in pairs, taking care to match **CC** sections. Sew ears to side of head as pictured. Using a **CC** patch, sew to face of toy for eye patch as pictured. Using grey yarn, embroider facial features, using satin st for nose, straight st for mouth and french knots for eyes, working one eye on eye patch as pictured. Using **MC**, embroider paw prints on footpads in satin st as pictured. Sew rem patches to body as desired.

Using **CC**, cut 4 strands of yarn, each strand 20 cm long. Using wool needle, pull these strands through top of head and tie ends together to form a topknot. Trim ends to 3 cm.

Tips - For a Professional Result

Knitting a perfect garment - just like those in the photographs requires some care. Here are a few extra tips to help you create a really professional project!

CHECK YOUR TENSION

Knitters are rarely 'average' in tension. Even the Patons expert knitters check their tension – and adjust their needle size – before starting each new garment.

Patons includes how to check your tension at the beginning of each design instruction. This short test will show if you need to adjust your needle size to achieve the right fit.

Inaccurate tension results in a garment either too big or small. Even a variation of half a stitch makes a difference and could result with your garment sagging, pilling or rubbing. It is also wise to just make a check every now and then during your knitting - as some become looser or firmer with more stitches on the needles.

SELECTING THE RIGHT SIZE

Don't guess – measure your bust just below the underarm. Match this with the sizes in the instruction. The actual measurement of the finished garment is stated under each size.

By selecting the right size and knitting to the correct tension, you will achieve the fit pictured.

UNDERSTANDING THE STEPS

Before you start knitting, we suggest reading through the instructions to familiarise yourself the steps and terms.

You will find it helpful to circle or highlight your size throughout the instruction before you begin. This avoids mistakenly working the wrong size.

USE THE YARN SPECIFIED

Yarns and plys do differ. They can cause different tensions and therefore the wrong size and a poor fit. The Patons team use their skills and know-how to create and test patterns suitable for the yarn recommended.

You could be disappointed with your garment if you make the mistake of using something 'near enough'. We strongly suggest your valuable time and money deserves the Patons yarn recommended.

YARN QUANTITY

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters. If you are changing the garment (for example - the body or sleeve length), then be sure to allow for this with your yarn purchase.

AVOID COLOUR MIS-MATCH

Buy or reserve enough yarn to complete your garment. With any Brand, shade variations can occur between dye lots.

CHECK THE DYE LOTS

The dye lot is printed on the ball band. Check each ball is from the same dye lot.

RETAIN BALL BANDS

It's a good idea to keep a ball band – to help us to help you if you have an enquiry.

KNOTS

Never tie knots in the middle of the row. It's amazing how they always seem to work their way to the front, making your knitting look uneven and messy. Leave approximately 15cm at the beginning & end of new balls of yarn. This makes it easier to sew the ends into the seam.

USING PRINTED YARNS

Some multi-coloured yarns create obvious patches of colour in your knitting. Each garment will be unique and some knitters prefer this look.

If a colour patch occurs, that you do not like or want, you can re-join the yarn – at the beginning of a row – starting with a different section of colour in the yarn.

For a more 'even' colour shading appearance, work using 2 balls. To do this, work 2 rows from the first ball, then 2 rows from the second ball, then 2 rows from the first ball and so forth. Continue alternating 2 rows from each ball, noting to carry the yarn from the ball not in use loosely along the side of your work.

TAKE CARE WITH FINISHING

Sewing together a garment is the last important step where care is needed to produce a professional finish. Please take time to not only read through the pattern instruction, but also the Make Up section.

If pressing your work, be sure to check the ball band for instructions. Care should be taken not to over-press your knitting. It is good to also press with a cloth between the iron and your knitting.

Patons recommends Mattress Stitch Seam for most seams, as it creates an even seam and is easy to do. It is also easy to undo if required. A Flat Seam is often best when attaching collars or joining bands.

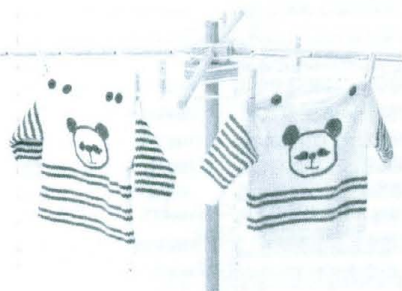


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Style 9 Peter & Poppy Panda Sweater

SKILL LEVEL

Easy



MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Months		0	3	6	9	12	18
To Fit Underarm	cm	35	40	45	47	50	53
	ins	14	16	18	18½	19½	21
Actual Size	cm	38	43	49	51	55	58
(approx at underarm)	ins	15	17	19½	20	21½	23
Length (approx)	cm	21	25	28	30	32	34
	ins	8	10	11	12	12½	13½
Sleeve Length	cm	11	13	15	16	17	19
	ins	4½	5	6	6½	6½	7½

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD DK 50g balls

Garments pictured are in colours #6142 (cream), #6169 (airforce) or #6123 (cyclamen).

Main Colour (MC)	2	3	3	3	3	4
Contrast Colour (CC)	1	1	1	1	1	1

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair each 4.00mm (UK 8) (US 6) and 3.25mm (UK 10) (US 3) Knitting Needles.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- 2 (2-2-2-4-4) Coats Buttons (#1119) or (#1105).
- Small quantity of grey yarn for embroidery.

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your garment will look like our photograph.

22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 4.00mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 4.00mm Needles, cast on 33 sts. Work 44 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

SWEATER

BACK

Using 3.25mm Needles and MC, cast on 43 (51-55-59-63-67) sts.

Knit 9 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Change to 4.00mm Needles and **beg stripes**.

Note - Do not break off yarn after completing each stripe, instead carry colour not in use loosely up side of work until required again.

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Using MC, work 6 rows stocking st.

Using CC, work 2 rows stocking st.

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Using CC, work 2 rows stocking st.

Last 12 rows form stripes.

Rep last 12 rows 0 (1-1-1-2-2) more time/s. Break off CC.

Using MC for rem, cont in stocking st until work measures 11 (14-16-17-19-20) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE ARMHOLES -

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 39 (47-51-55-59-63) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 35 (43-47-49-53-55) sts rem. **

Work 17 (21-23-25-25-25) rows without shaping.

Knit 8 rows garter st.

DIVIDE FOR SHOULDER BANDS -

Next row - K8 (11-12-13-15-15), cast off next 19 (21-23-23-25) sts loosely knitways, knit to end.

Next row - K8 (11-12-13-15-15), **turn**.

Cont on these 8 (11-12-13-15-15) sts and knit 7 rows garter st. Cast off knitways.

With wrong side facing, join yarn to rem 8 (11-12-13-15-15) sts and knit 8 rows garter st. Cast off knitways.

FRONT

Work as for Back to **.

Work 6 (10-12-12-12-10) rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row (wrong side) - P7 (10-11-12-14-14), K21 (23-25-25-25-27), P7 (10-11-12-14-14).

Next row - Knit.

Rep last 2 rows twice.

Next row - P7 (10-11-12-14-14), K21 (23-25-25-25-27), P7 (10-11-12-14-14).

SHAPE NECK -

Next row (right side) - K11 (14-15-16-18-18), cast off next 13 (15-17-17-17-19) sts loosely knitways, knit to end.

Next row - P5 (8-9-10-12-12), P2tog, K4, **turn**.

Cont on these 10 (13-14-15-17-17) sts.

Next row - K4, sl 1, K1, psso, knit to end.

*** Cont dec one st (inside the 4 garter sts) in every (every-every **alt-alt-alt**) row once more ... 8 (11-12-13-15-15) sts.

Keeping 4 sts in garter st correct, work 0 (0-0-1-1-3) row/s.

Knit 3 rows garter st.

Next row - K4 (6-7-8-5-5), yfwd, K2tog, (K4, yfwd, K2tog)

0 (0-0-0-1-1) time/s, K2 (3-3-3-2-2) ... 1 (1-1-1-2-2)

buttonhole/s.

Knit 5 rows garter st. Cast off knitways. ***

With wrong side, facing, join **MC** to rem 11 (14-15-16-18-18) sts.

Next row - K4, P2tog tbl, purl to end.

Next row - Knit to last 6 sts, K2tog, K4.

Rep from *** to ***, noting to reverse buttonhole row.

SLEEVES

Using 3.25mm Needles and **MC**, cast on 27 (29-29-31-31-33) sts.

Knit 9 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Change to 4.00mm Needles and **beg stripes**.

Work 6 rows stocking st, inc one st at each end of 3rd row ... 29 (31-31-33-33-35) sts.

Work in stocking st stripes of 2 rows each of **CC** and **MC** throughout, AT SAME TIME inc one st at each end of next (3rd-next-next-next-next) row, then in every foll - 4th (6th-4th-4th-4th-4th) row 3 (3-6-6-7-7) times ... 37 (39-45-47-49-51) sts.

Work a further 1 (1-1-5-5-9) row/s, thus ending with 2 rows of **CC**. Break off **CC**.

Using **MC** for rem, cont without shaping until work measures 11 (13-15-16-17-19) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE TOP -

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 33 (35-41-43-45-47) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 29 (31-37-37-39-39) sts rem.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

EYE PATCHES (make 2)

Using 3.25mm Needles and **CC**, cast on 2 sts.

1st row - Inc knitways in each st ... 4 sts.

Knit 3 rows garter st.

5th row - K2tog, K2 ... 3 sts.

6th row - K1, K2tog ... 2 sts.

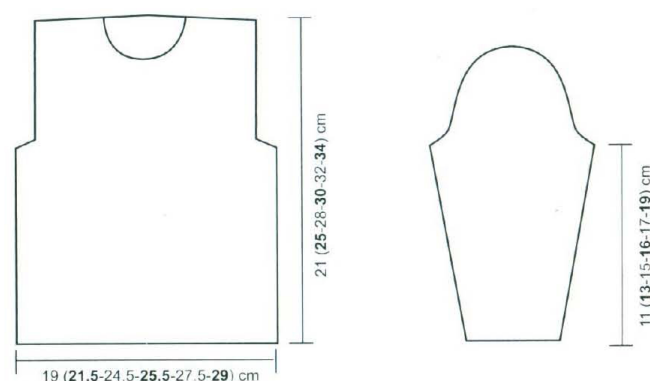
7th row - K2tog. Fasten off.

MAKE UP

Embroidery - Using **CC** and chain stitch, outline head and ears of panda to front of sweater as pictured. Sew eye patches to inside of outline of head. Using **CC** and satin stitch, embroider a nose between eye patches. Using grey yarn, embroider facial features, using french knots for eyes and straight st for mouth.

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam.

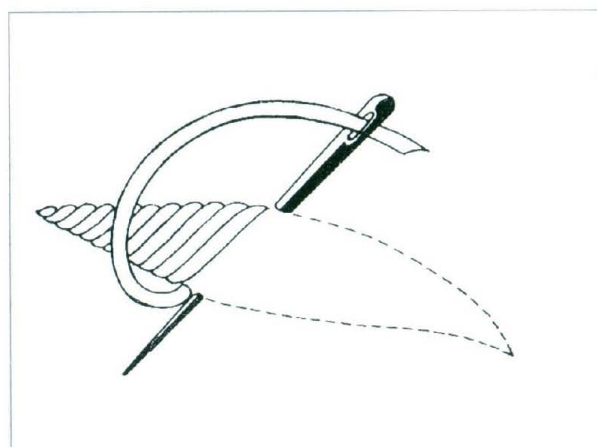
Place front shoulder bands over back shoulder bands (9 rows of garter st) and oversew together at armhole edges. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves. Sew on buttons. Sew in all ends.



SATIN STITCH EMBROIDERY

Bring the thread up through the fabric at the required position. Insert the needle over and down into the fabric the required distance away and draw the thread through so the stitch sits flat. Bring the needle up through the fabric and then down into the fabric closely beside the first stitch, drawing the thread again, so the stitch sits flat.

Repeat these movements making sure to keep an even edge.



Style 10 Peter and Poppy Panda Toy

MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Height (approx)	cm	30
	ins	12

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD DK 50g balls

Toy pictured is in colours **#6169 (airforce)** or **#6123 (cyclamen)** and **#6142 (cream)**.

1st Colour (C1)	1
2nd Colour (C2)	1

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.
Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.
Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.



SKILL LEVEL

Intermediate

NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair 3.00mm (UK 11) (US 2) Knitting Needles.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- Washable Polyester Filling.
- Small quantity of grey yarn for embroidery.

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your toy will look like our photograph.

27 sts and 36 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 3.00mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 3.00mm Needles, cast on 40 sts. Work 54 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

PANDA TOY

LEGS (make 2, beg at hip)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 6 sts.
Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of every row until there are 20 sts.

Cont without shaping until leg measures 8 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - K10, **turn**, cast on 18 sts, **turn**, K10 ... 38 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - K16, inc once in each of next 6 sts, K16 ... 44 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - K20, inc once in each of next 4 sts, K20 ... 48 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Cont without shaping until leg measures 12 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Cast off.

FOOTPAD (make 2)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C2**, cast on 6 sts.
Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until there are 14 sts.

Cont without shaping until footpad measures 4.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Dec one st at each end of every row until 8 sts rem.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

ARMS (make 2, beg at shoulder)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 2 sts.
Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of every row until there are 16 sts.

Cont without shaping until arm measures 9 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - K6, (K2tog) twice, K6 ... 14 sts.

Next row - (P2tog, P3, P2tog) twice ... 10 sts.

Cast off.

EARS (make 4 pieces)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 9 sts.
Work in stocking st until ear measures 2 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 3 sts rem.

Next row - Purl.

Cast off.

BODY (make 2 pieces)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C2**, cast on 12 sts.

1st row - (inc knitways in next st, K4, inc knitways in next st) twice ... 16 sts.

2nd row - Inc purlways in first st, purl to last st, inc purlways in last st ... 18 sts.

3rd row - (inc in next st, K7, inc in next st) twice ... 22 sts.

4th row - As 2nd row ... 24 sts.

5th row - (inc in next st, K10, inc in next st) twice ... 28 sts.

6th row - As 2nd row ... 30 sts.

7th row - (inc in next st, K13, inc in next st) twice ... 34 sts.
Tie a coloured thread at each end of last row for leg placement.

8th row - Purl.

9th row - (inc in next st, K15, inc in next st) twice ... 38 sts.

10th row - Purl.

11th row - (inc in next st, K17, inc in next st) twice ... 42 sts.
Cont without shaping until body measures 7 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K4, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 35 sts.

Next row - Purl. Break off **C2**.

Using **C1** for rem, work 4 rows stocking st.

Next row - * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 28 sts.

Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K2, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 21 sts.

Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 14 sts.

Cont without shaping until body measures 11.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row. Cast off.

HEAD (beg at neck)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C2**, cast on 10 sts.

1st row - Inc knitways once in each st ... 20 sts.

2nd and foll alt rows - Purl.

3rd row - * K1, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 30 sts.

5th row - * K2, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 40 sts.

7th row - * K3, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 50 sts.

9th row - * K4, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 60 sts.

Cont without shaping until head measures 8 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 48 sts.

Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K2, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 36 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 24 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 12 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

EYE PATCHES (make 2)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 2 sts.

1st row - Inc knitways in each st ... 4 sts.

Cont in stocking st (beg with a purl row), until eye patch measures 2 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Cast off.

FINISHING

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam unless otherwise stated.

Fold legs in half, join inside leg seam and top of foot, leaving top of leg and bottom of foot open. Sew footpads in position to cast off edge of leg. Fill legs and oversew angled edge at top of leg closed. Position legs to side of body, placing narrow cast on edge of leg to coloured thread on body and start of inside leg seam to cast on edge of body. Tack legs in place along side edge of body.

Fold arms in half and join seam, leaving angled edges open for filling. Fill and oversew opening closed. Position arms to **C1** section of body, noting that narrow end is top of shoulder and seam of arm should not extend past **C1** section of the body. Tack arms in place.

Place second body piece on top of first. Sew side edges of body together, taking care to catch limbs securely in seams and leaving cast on and cast off edge open. Sew cast on edge closed and fill body through neck opening.

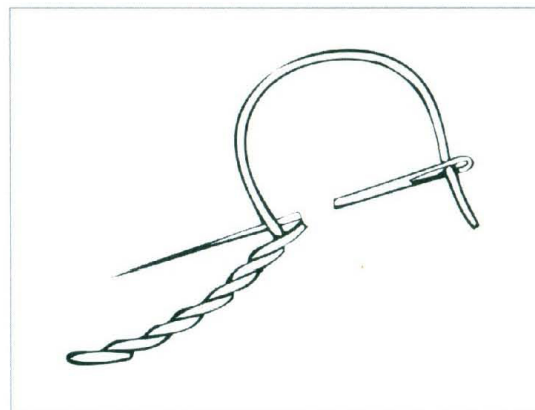
Sew side edges of head together, leaving cast on edge open. Fill head and gather opening closed. Sew cast on edge of head to neck edge of body, placing seam at back and adding more filling as necessary so the neck is strong enough to support the head.

Sew ear pieces together in pairs. Fold ears slightly and sew to side of head as pictured. Sew eye patches to front of head as pictured.

Using grey yarn, embroider mouth using straight st and french knots for eyes as pictured. Using **C1**, embroider nose above mouth. Using **C1**, embroider paw prints on footpads in satin st as pictured.

STEM STITCH EMBROIDERY

Stem Stitch is worked from left to right, taking regular, slightly slanting stitches to form a line.



The thread should always emerge on the left side of the previous stitch. Be careful not to pull the embroidered stitch too tightly.

Style 11 Buddy Friend Cardigan

SKILL LEVEL

Easy

MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Months		0	3	6	9	12	18
To Fit Underarm	cm	35	40	45	47	50	53
	ins	14	16	18	18½	19½	21
Actual Size (at underarm)	cm	38	43	49	51	55	58
	ins	15	17	19½	20	21½	23
Length (approx)	cm	21	25	27	30	31	33
	ins	8	10	10½	12	12	13
Sleeve Length (approx)	cm	11	14	15	17	18	19
	ins	4½	5½	6	6½	7	7½

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD 4 PLY 50g balls

Garment pictured is in colours #4287 (navy), #4295 (violet), #4299 (delphinium), #4226 (cyclamen) and #4282 (cream).

Main Colour (MC)	1	1	1	1	1	1
1st Contrast (C1)	1	1	1	1	2	2
2nd Contrast (C2)	1	1	1	1	2	2
3rd Contrast (C3)	1	1	1	1	2	2
4th Contrast (C4)	1	1	1	1	2	2

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair each 3.25mm (UK 10) (US 3) and 2.75mm (UK 12) (US 2) Knitting Needles.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- 1 Stitch Holder.
- 5 (6-6-7-7-8) Coats Buttons (#0872).

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your garment will look like our photograph.

28 sts and 36 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 3.25mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 3.25mm Needles, cast on 42 sts. Work 54 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

CARDIGAN

BACK

Using 2.75mm Needles and MC, cast on 55 (63-71-73-79-83) sts.

1st row - K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st row for moss st 12 times ... 13 rows moss st in all.

Next row - Purl.

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Change to 3.25mm Needles and beg stripe patt.

1st row (right side) - K1C1, * sl 1 purlways, K1C1, rep from * to end.

2nd row - K1C1, * yft, sl 1 purlways, ybk, K1C1, rep from * to end. Break off MC.

Using C1, work 10 (14-16-18-20-22) rows stocking st. Break off C1.

Using C2 in place of C1, rep 1st and 2nd rows once.

Using C2, work 10 (14-16-18-20-22) rows stocking st. Break off C2.

Using C3 in place of C1, rep 1st and 2nd rows once.

Using C3, work 4 (8-8-10-10-10) rows stocking st.

SHAPE ARMHOLES -

Using C3 and working in stocking st, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 51 (59-67-69-75-79) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row 1 (1-2-2-3-4) time/s ... 47 (55-61-63-67-69) sts.

Next row - Purl. Break off C3.

Next row - K1 (1-2-2-1-2) C4, * sl 1 purlways, K1C4, rep from * to last 0 (0-1-1-0-1) st/s, K0 (0-1-1-0-1) C4.

Next row - K1 (1-2-2-1-2) C4, * yft, sl 1 purlways, ybk, K1C4, rep from * to last 0 (0-1-1-0-1) st/s, K0 (0-1-1-0-1) C4.

Using C4 and working in stocking st for rem, cont until armhole measures 10 (11-12-13-13-14) cm, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE SHOULDERS -

Cast off 4 (5-5-6-6-6) sts at beg of next 4 rows, then 3 (4-6-5-7-7) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Leave rem 25 (27-29-29-29-31) sts on a stitch holder.

LEFT FRONT

Using 2.75mm Needles and **MC**, cast on 27 (31-35-37-39-41) sts.

Work 13 rows moss st as for lower band of Back.

Next row - Purl.

Change to 3.25mm Needles and **beg stripe patt**.

Work same amount of stripe patt rows as for Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with same row. **

SHAPE ARMHOLE -

Using **C3** and working in stocking st, cast off 2 sts at beg of next row ... 25 (29-33-35-37-39) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in every foll alt row 2 (2-3-3-4-5) times ... 23 (27-30-32-33-34) sts.

Next row - Purl. Break off **C3**.

Next row - K1 (1-2-2-1-2) **C4**, * sl 1 purlways, K1**C4**, rep from * to end.

Next row - K1**C4**, * yft, sl 1 purlways, ybk, K1**C4**, rep from * to last 0 (0-1-1-0-1) st/s, K0 (0-1-1-0-1) **C4**.

Using **C4** and working in stocking st for rem, cont until there are 14 (14-14-16-16-18) rows **less** than Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a purl row.

Work 1 row.

SHAPE NECK -

Next row (wrong side) - Cast off 6 (7-7-7-7-7) sts, purl to end ... 17 (20-23-25-26-27) sts.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until 14 (17-18-20-23-24) sts rem, then in every foll alt row until 11 (14-16-17-19-19) sts rem.

Work 3 rows without shaping.

SHAPE SHOULDER -

Cast off 4 (5-5-6-6-6) sts at beg of next row and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 3 (4-6-5-7-7) sts.

RIGHT FRONT

Work as for Left Front to **.

Using **C3** and working in stocking st, work 1 row.

SHAPE ARMHOLE -

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row ... 25 (29-33-35-37-39) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in next row, then in every foll alt row 1 (1-2-2-3-4) time/s ... 23 (27-30-32-33-34) sts.

Next row - Purl. Break off **C3**.

Next row - * K1**C4**, sl 1 purlways, rep from * to last 1 (1-2-2-1-2) st/s, K1 (1-2-2-1-2) **C4**.

Next row - K1 (1-2-2-1-2) **C4**, * yft, sl 1 purlways, ybk, K1**C4**, rep from * to end.

Using **C4** and working in stocking st for rem, cont until there are 14 (14-14-16-16-18) rows **less** than Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE NECK -

Next row (right side) - Cast off 6 (7-7-7-7-7) sts, knit to end ... 17 (20-23-25-26-27) sts.

Work 1 row.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until 14 (17-18-20-23-24) sts rem, then in every foll alt row until 11 (14-16-17-19-19) sts rem.

Work 4 rows without shaping.

SHAPE SHOULDER -

Cast off 4 (5-5-6-6-6) sts at beg of next row and foll alt row.

Work 1 row. Cast off rem 3 (4-6-5-7-7) sts.

SLEEVES

Using 2.75mm Needles and **MC**, cast on 35 (35-37-39-39-41) sts.

Work 13 rows moss st as for lower band of Back.

Next row - Purl.

Change to 3.25mm Needles and **beg stripe patt**.

Work same amount of stripe patt rows as for Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with same row (noting that sts will be inc), AT SAME TIME inc one st at each end of 3rd row, then in every foll 4th row 3 (4-6-7-8-6) times, then in every foll 6th row 2 (2-2-2-2-4) times ... 47 (49-55-59-61-63) sts.

SHAPE TOP -

Using **C3** and working in stocking st for rem, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 43 (45-51-55-57-59) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row 1 (1-2-2-3-4) time/s ... 39 (41-45-49-49-49) sts.

Work 1 row. Cast off rem sts loosely.

NECKBAND

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam.

Join shoulder seams. With right side facing, using 2.75mm Needles and **MC**, knit up 16 (18-18-20-20-22) sts evenly along right side of neck, knit across sts from back stitch holder, then knit up 16 (18-18-20-20-22) sts evenly along left side of neck ... 57 (63-65-69-69-75) sts.

Work 13 rows moss st as for lower band of Back.

Cast off loosely in moss st.

RIGHT FRONT BAND

With right side facing, using 2.75mm Needles and **MC**, knit up 57 (69-69-81-81-93) sts evenly along right front edge and side edge of neckband.

If making for Girl - Work 5 rows moss st as for lower band of Back.

6th row - Moss 4, cast off 2 sts, * moss 10, cast off 2 sts, rep from * to last 3 sts, moss 3.

7th row - Moss 3, **turn**, cast on 2 sts, **turn**, * moss 10, **turn**, cast on 2 sts, **turn**, rep from * to last 4 sts, moss 4 ... 5 (6-6-7-7-8) buttonholes in all.

Work 6 rows moss st.

Cast off loosely in moss st.

If making for Boy - Work 13 rows moss st as for lower band of Back.

Cast off loosely in moss st.

LEFT FRONT BAND

With right side facing, using 2.75mm Needles and **MC**, knit up 57 (**69-69-81-81-93**) sts evenly along side edge of neckband and left front edge.

If making for Girl - Work 13 rows moss st as for lower band of Back. Cast off loosely in moss st.

If making for Boy - Work 5 rows moss st as for lower band of Back.

6th row - Moss 4, cast off 2 sts, * moss 10, cast off 2 sts, rep from * to last 3 sts, moss 3.

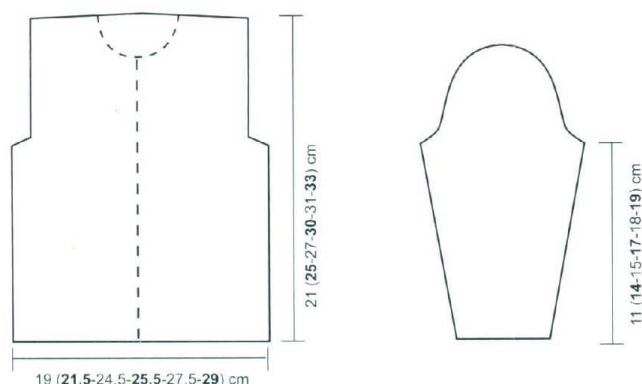
7th row - Moss 3, **turn**, cast on 2 sts, **turn**, * moss 10, **turn**, cast on 2 sts, **turn**, rep from * to last 4 sts, moss 4 ... 5 (**6-6-7-7-8**) buttonholes in all.

Work 6 rows moss st. Cast off loosely in moss st.

MAKE UP

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam.

Join side and sleeve seams, matching colour changes. Sew in sleeves, easing to fit. Sew front bands in position. Sew on buttons. Sew in all ends.



MATTRESS STITCH SEAM

This seam is worked from the right side and enables the matching of stripes and fancy patterns.



1. With right sides facing, lay the pieces to be joined side by side on a flat surface. Thread a wool needle with the yarn to sew the seam. Insert the wool needle from the wrong side, up to the right side between the edge stitch and second stitch in the first row. Draw thread up, leaving an end approx. 15 cm long (to be sewn in later).
2. Insert the wool needle down between the corresponding edge stitch and second stitch in the first row on the opposite piece, pass the needle under the loops of 2 rows and bring it up to the front of work. Draw up thread loosely. Return to the first piece and insert the wool needle down in the same space that the last stitch came out of and pass it under the loops of 2 rows and bring it up to the front of work. Draw up thread loosely.
3. Repeat this zig zag action, always taking the needle under loops that correspond exactly to the opposite side. Work loosely, leaving seam stitches approx. 1 cm wide. When seam is about 2 cm long, pull thread gently to close seam. When seam is complete, sew in ends.

NOTE – Always keep work elastic - there should be as much stretch in your seam as there is in the rest of the garment.

NOTES

Style 12 Buddy Friend Toy

SKILL LEVEL

Intermediate

MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Height (approx)	cm	ins
	20	8



PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD 4 PLY 50g balls

Toy pictured is in colours #4295 (violet), #4226 (cyclamen), #4299 (delphinium), #4282 (cream) and #4287 (navy).

1st Colour (C1) - violet	1
2nd Colour (C2) - cyclamen	1
3rd Colour (C3) - delphinium	1
4th Colour (C4) - cream	1
5th Colour (C5) - navy	1

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair 2.00mm (UK 14) (US 0) Knitting Needles.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- Washable Polyester Filling.
- Small quantity of black yarn for embroidery.

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your toy will look like our photograph.

36 sts and 44 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 2.00mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 2.00mm Needles, cast on 54 sts. Work 66 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

LEGS (make 2)

Using 2.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 15 sts.

Work 4 rows of stripes.

5th row - * inc in next st, K4, rep from * to end ... 18 sts.

Work 5 rows of stripes.

11th row - * inc in next st, K5, rep from * to end ... 21 sts.

Cont in stripes until leg measures 5.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Using **C5** only for rem, cont in stocking st until leg measures 7.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 14 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 7 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

ARMS (make 2, beg at shoulder)

Using 2.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 12 sts.

Work 4 rows of stripes.

5th row - * inc in next st, K3, rep from * to end ... 15 sts.

Work 5 rows of stripes.

11th row - * inc in next st, K4, rep from * to end ... 18 sts.

Cont in stripes until arm measures 4.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Using **C4** only for rem, cont in stocking st until arm measures 6 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 12 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 6 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

BODY (beg at base)

Using 2.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 78 sts.

BUDDY TOY

STRIPE PATTERN

Work in stocking st stripes as follows:

Using **C1**, work 2 rows.

Using **C2**, work 2 rows.

Using **C3**, work 2 rows.

Using **C1**, work 1 row.

Using **C2**, work 1 row.

Using **C3**, work 1 row.

Using **C2**, work 1 row.

Using **C1**, work 1 row.

Using **C3**, work 2 rows.

Using **C2**, work 2 rows.

Last 15 rows form stocking st stripes.

Work in stripes until body measures 7 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Using **C4** only for rem, cont in stocking st until body measures 8 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K4, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 65 sts.

Work 7 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 52 sts.

Work 5 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K2, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 39 sts.

Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 26 sts.

Next row - * P2tog, rep from * to end ... 13 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

BODY BASE

Using 2.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 12 sts.

Using **C1** only, work in stocking st, inc one st at each end of every row until there are 24 sts.

Cont without shaping until body base measures 6 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Dec one st at each end of every row until 12 sts rem.

Cast off.

FINISHING

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam unless otherwise stated.

Fold body in half and sew side edges together to form centre back seam, taking care to match stripes.

Fold legs in half and sew back leg seam, leaving top of leg open. Fill legs and oversew top of leg closed. Fold cast on edge of body in half and mark as centre front of body.

Position legs 1 cm either side of this marker. Tack legs in place along cast on edge of body. Pin body base in position and sew in place, taking care to catch legs securely in seam. Leave an opening for filling approx 4 cm wide and easing body to body base to fit if necessary. Fill body and sew opening closed.

Fold arms in half and sew seam, leaving cast on edges open for filling. Fill and oversew opening closed. Position arm to bottom of **C4** section on body and sew securely in place. Using black yarn, embroider facial features, using french knots for eyes and straight st for mouth as pictured. Cut 10 x 20 cm strands of **C5**. Thread through top of head using sewing needle or crochet hook. Tie ends in a knot to form topknot. Trim ends to 3 cm.

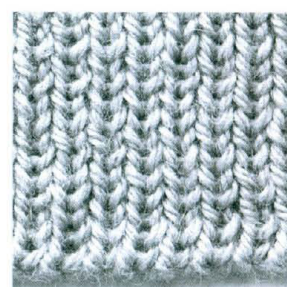
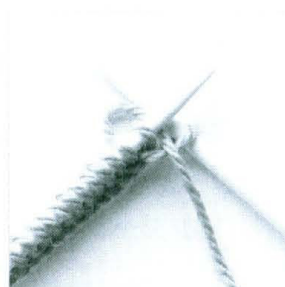
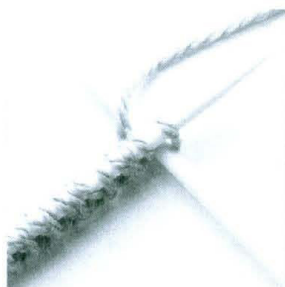
CASTING ON IN 1 X 1 RIB

This method gives a neat and elastic edge, but is **ONLY** suitable for 1 x 1 Rib Bands.

Be sure to check the first row of the rib reads - K2, * P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1. If so, then continue -

Make a slip knot and place it on the left needle. Insert the right needle into the loop knitways and knit a stitch, then slip this onto the left needle.

** Insert the right needle between the last 2 stitches purlways and purl a stitch, then slip this onto the left needle - taking care not to twist the stitch. Insert the right needle between the last 2 stitches knitways and knit a stitch, then slip this onto the left needle. Repeat from ** for the required number of stitches, working the last stitch knitways.



NOTES

Style 13 Barry Bear Hoodie Jacket

SKILL LEVEL

Easy



MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Months		0	3	6	9	12	18
To Fit Underarm	cm	35	40	45	47	50	53
	ins	14	16	18	18½	19½	21
Actual Size (at underarm)	cm	40	43	49	51	56	60
	ins	16	17	19½	20	22	23½
Length (approx)	cm	21	25	28	30	32	34
	ins	8	10	11	12	12½	13½
Sleeve Length (approx)	cm	11	13	15	16	17	19
	ins	4½	5	6	6½	6½	7½

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD 4 PLY 50g balls

Garment pictured is in colours #4245 (steel), #4285 (black), #4282 (cream).

Main Colour (MC)	1	2	2	2	3	3
1st Contrast (C1)	1	1	1	1	1	1
2nd Contrast (C2)	1	1	1	1	1	1

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair each 3.25mm (UK 10) (US 3) and 2.75mm (UK 12) (US 2) Knitting Needles.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- 4 (5-6-6-6-7) Coats Buttons (#0872).

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your garment will look like our photograph.

28 sts and 36 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 3.25mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 3.25mm Needles, cast on 42 sts. Work 54 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

JACKET

BACK

Using 2.75mm Needles and C1, cast on 58 (62-70-74-82-86) sts.

Knit 11 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side). Break off C1. Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Using MC, work in stocking st (beg with a knit row) until work measures 9 (12-14-15-17-18) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Beg Fair Isle Patt -

Note - Do not weave colours in fair isle patt, but carry colour not in use loosely across on wrong side. Always carry colours to ends of rows and carry MC above C1.

1st row (right side) - K2MC, * K2C1, K2MC, rep from * to end.

2nd row - P2MC, * P2C1, P2MC, rep from * to end. Break off C1.

Using MC, work 2 rows stocking st. Knit 2 rows garter st (ridge).

SHAPE ARMHOLES -

Using C2 and working in stocking st, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 54 (58-66-70-78-82) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll - 4th (4th-alt-alt-alt-alt) row until 50 (54-60-64-68-72) sts rem.

Next row - Purl. Break off C2.

Using MC, knit 2 rows garter st (ridge).

Work 2 rows stocking st (beg with a knit row).

Beg Fair Isle Patt - 1st row (right side) - K2 (2-5-5-3-3) MC, * K2C1, K2MC, rep from * to last 0 (0-3-3-1-1) st/s, K0 (0-3-3-1-1) MC.

2nd row - P2 (2-5-5-3-3) MC, * P2C1, P2MC, rep from * to last 0 (0-3-3-1-1) st/s, P0 (0-3-3-1-1) MC. Break off C1.

Using MC and working in stocking st for rem, cont until armhole measures 10 (11-12-13-13-14) cm, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE SHOULDERS -

Cast off 4 (5-5-6-6-7) sts at beg of next 4 rows, then 4 (4-6-5-7-6) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Cast off rem 26 (26-28-30-30-32) sts loosely.

LEFT FRONT

Using 2.75mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 26 (30-34-38-42-42) sts.

Knit 11 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side). Break off **C1**.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Using **MC**, work in stocking st (beg with a knit row) until work measures 9 (12-14-15-17-18) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Beg Fair Isle Patt - 1st row (right side) - K2**MC**, * K2**C1**, K2**MC**, rep from * to end.

2nd row - P2**MC**, * P2**C1**, P2**MC**, rep from * to end.

Break off **C1**.

Using **MC**, work 2 rows stocking st.

Knit 2 rows garter st (ridge). **

SHAPE ARMHOLE -

Using **C2** and working in stocking st, cast off 2 sts at beg of next row ... 24 (28-32-36-40-40) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in 2nd row, then in every foll - 4th (4th-alt-alt-alt) row until 22 (26-29-33-35-35) sts rem.

Next row - Purl. Break off **C2**.

Using **MC**, knit 2 rows garter st (ridge).

Work 2 rows stocking st (beg with a knit row).

Beg Fair Isle Patt - 1st row (right side) - K2 (2-5-5-3-3) **MC**, * K2**C1**, K2**MC**, rep from * to end.

2nd row - * P2**MC**, P2**C1**, rep from * to last 2 (2-5-5-3-3) sts, P2 (2-5-5-3-3) **MC**. Break off **C1**.

Using **MC** and working in stocking st for rem, cont until there are 12 (14-14-16-16-18) rows **less** than Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a purl row.

Work 1 row.

SHAPE NECK -

Next row (wrong side) - Cast off 5 (6-7-8-8-7) sts, purl to end ... 17 (20-22-25-27-28) sts.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until 14 (17-19-20-22-25) sts rem, then in every foll alt row until 12 (14-16-17-19-20) sts rem.

Work 3 rows without shaping.

SHAPE SHOULDER -

Cast off 4 (5-5-6-6-7) sts at beg of next row and foll alt row.

Work 1 row. Cast off rem 4 (4-6-5-7-6) sts.

RIGHT FRONT

Work as for Left Front to **.

Using **C2** and working in stocking st for rem, work 1 row.

SHAPE ARMHOLE -

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row ... 24 (28-32-36-40-40) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in next row, then in every foll - 4th (4th-alt-alt-alt) row until 22 (26-29-33-35-35) sts rem.

Next row - Purl. Break off **C2**.

Using **MC**, knit 2 rows garter st (ridge).

Work 2 rows stocking st (beg with a knit row).

Beg Fair Isle Patt - 1st row (right side) - * K2**MC**, K2**C1**, rep from * to last 2 (2-5-5-3-3) sts, K2 (2-5-5-3-3) **MC**.

2nd row - P2 (2-5-5-3-3) **MC**, * P2**C1**, P2**MC**, rep from * to end. Break off **C1**.

Using **MC** and working in stocking st for rem, cont until there are 12 (14-14-16-16-18) rows **less** than Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE NECK -

Next row (right side) - Cast off 5 (6-7-8-8-7) sts, knit to end ... 17 (20-22-25-27-28) sts.

Work 1 row.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until 14 (17-19-20-22-25) sts rem, then in every foll alt row until 12 (14-16-17-19-20) sts rem.

Work 4 rows without shaping.

SHAPE SHOULDER -

Cast off 4 (5-5-6-6-7) sts at beg of next row and foll alt row.

Work 1 row. Cast off rem 4 (4-6-5-7-6) sts.

SLEEVES

Using 2.75mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 34 (36-36-38-40-42) sts.

Knit 11 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side). Break off **C1**.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Using **MC**, work 2 rows stocking st.

3rd row - K2, **M1**, knit to last 2 sts, **M1**, K2.

Cont in stocking st (beg with a purl row) inc one st (as before) at each end of every foll 4th row until there are 46 (50-54-58-62-66) sts.

Work 1 (5-5-3-3-7) row/s without shaping.

Beg Fair Isle Patt - 1st row (right side) - K2**MC**, * K2**C1**, K2**MC**, rep from * to end.

2nd row - P2**MC**, * P2**C1**, P2**MC**, rep from * to end.

Break off **C1**.

Using **MC**, work 2 rows stocking st.

Knit 2 rows garter st (ridge). Break off **MC** and **C1**.

SHAPE TOP -

Using **C2** and working in stocking st for rem, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 42 (46-50-54-58-62) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll - 4th (4th-alt-alt-alt) row until 38 (42-44-48-48-52) sts rem.

Work 1 row. Cast off loosely.

HOOD

Using 2.75mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 104 (118-132-140-146-148) sts.

Knit 11 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side). Break off **C1**.

Change to 3.25mm Needles.

Using **MC** for rem, work in stocking st (beg with a knit row) until work measures 11 (12-13-13-14-14) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE BACK OF HOOD -

Next row - K52 (59-66-70-73-74), turn.

Cont on these 52 (**59-66-70-73-74**) sts and dec one st at inside edge in every row until 45 (**52-59-63-66-67**) sts rem. Cast off loosely.

With right side facing, join yarn to rem sts at inside edge and knit to end.

Cont on these 52 (**59-66-70-73-74**) sts and dec one st at inside edge in every row until 45 (**52-59-63-66-67**) sts rem. Cast off loosely.

RIGHT FRONT BAND

With right side facing, using 2.75mm Needles and **C1**, knit up 52 (**66-75-75-80-88**) sts evenly along right front edge.

If making for Girl - Knit 4 rows garter st.

5th row - K4, cast off 2 sts, * K12 (**12-11-11-12-11**), cast off 2 sts, rep from * to last 4 sts, K4.

6th row - K4, **turn**, cast on 2 sts, **turn**, * K12 (**12-11-11-12-11**), **turn**, cast on 2 sts, **turn**, rep from * to last 4 sts, K4 ... 4 (**5-6-6-6-7**) buttonholes in all.

Knit 5 rows garter st.

Cast off loosely knitways.

If making for Boy - Knit 11 rows garter st.

Cast off loosely knitways.

LEFT FRONT BAND

With right side facing, using 2.75mm Needles and **C1**, knit up 52 (**66-75-75-80-88**) sts evenly along left front edge.

If making for Girl - Knit 11 rows garter st.

Cast off loosely knitways.

If making for Boy - Knit 4 rows garter st.

5th row - K4, cast off 2 sts, * K12 (**12-11-11-12-11**), cast off 2 sts, rep from * to last 4 sts, K4.

6th row - K4, **turn**, cast on 2 sts, **turn**, * K12 (**12-11-11-12-11**), **turn**, cast on 2 sts, **turn**, rep from * to last 4 sts, K4 ... 4 (**5-6-6-6-7**) buttonholes in all.

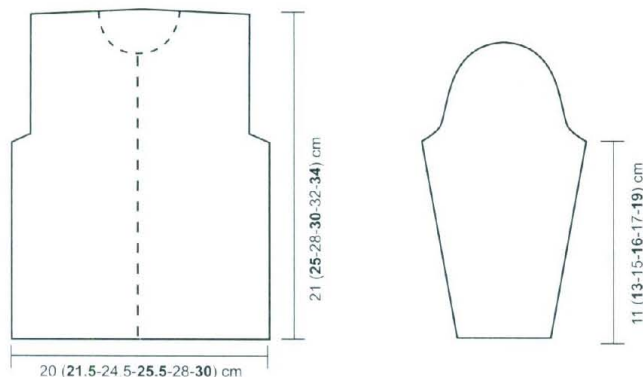
Knit 5 rows garter st.

Cast off loosely knitways.

MAKE UP

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam.

Join shoulder seams. Join side and sleeve seams, matching colour changes. Sew in sleeves, easing to fit. Fold hood in half (noting that cast on edge is face end of hood), join centre back seam and shaped edge. Sew hood to neck edge, beg and ending in centre of front bands and easing any extra fullness to back neck. Sew on buttons. Sew in all ends.



SEWING IN ENDS

1. Thread the end of the yarn into the eye of a wool needle and weave in small alternating stitches along the side edge of your work for approximately 5cm. Take care to insert the needle between stitches and not to pull too tightly.



2. Turn and work backwards, alternating over the spaces just worked. Now you can safely clip the yarn close to the edge if work.



PICKING UP DROPPED STITCHES

A dropped stitch can be picked up easily with a crochet hook, even if it has unravelled several rows down.



To pick up knit stitches of stocking stitch, insert the crochet hook into the dropped stitch, draw through the bar lying above the dropped stitch and pull it through the loop of the dropped stitch as in the diagram.

Style 14 Barry Bear Toy

SKILL LEVEL

Intermediate

MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Height (approx)	cm	20
	ins	8

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD 4 PLY 50g balls

Toy pictured is in colours #4245 (steel) and #4282 (cream).

1st Colour (C1)

1

2nd Colour (C2)

1

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.
Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.



NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair 2.00mm (UK 14) (US 0) Knitting Needles.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- Washable Polyester Filling.
- Small quantity of black yarn for embroidery.

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your toy will look like our photograph.

36 sts and 44 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 2.00mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 2.00mm Needles, cast on 54 sts. Work 66 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

BEAR TOY

LEGS (make 2)

Using 2.00mm Needles and C1, cast on 15 sts.
Work 4 rows stocking st.

5th row - * inc in next st, K4, rep from * to end ... 18 sts.
Work 5 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

11th row - * inc in next st, K5, rep from * to end ... 21 sts.
Cont in stocking st, beg with a purl row, until leg measures 7.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 14 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 7 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

ARMS (make 2, beg at shoulder)

Using 2.00mm Needles and C1, cast on 12 sts.

Work 4 rows stocking st.

5th row - * inc in next st, K3, rep from * to end ... 15 sts.

Work 5 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

11th row - * inc in next st, K4, rep from * to end ... 18 sts.

Cont in stocking st, beg with a purl row, until arm measures 6 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 12 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 6 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

BODY (beg at base)

Using 2.00mm Needles and C1, cast on 78 sts.

Work in stocking st until body measures 5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Using C2, cont in stocking st until body measures 7 cm from beg, ending with a purl row. Break off C2.

Using C1 for rem, cont in stocking st until body measures 8 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K4, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 65 sts.

Work 7 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 52 sts.

Work 5 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K2, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 39 sts.

Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 26 sts.

Next row - * P2tog, rep from * to end ... 13 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

BODY BASE

Using 2.00mm Needles and C1, cast on 12 sts.

Work in stocking st, inc one st at each end of every row until there are 24 sts.

Cont without shaping until body base measures 6 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Dec one st at each end of every row until 12 sts rem.

Cast off.

EARS (make 2 pieces in **C1** and 2 pieces in **C2**)

Using 2.00mm Needles, cast on 15 sts.

Work in stocking st, inc one st at each end of 5th row, then in every foll 4th row until there are 21 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Dec one st at each end of every row until 11 sts rem.

Cast off.

FINISHING

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam unless otherwise stated.

Fold body in half and sew side edges together to form centre back seam.

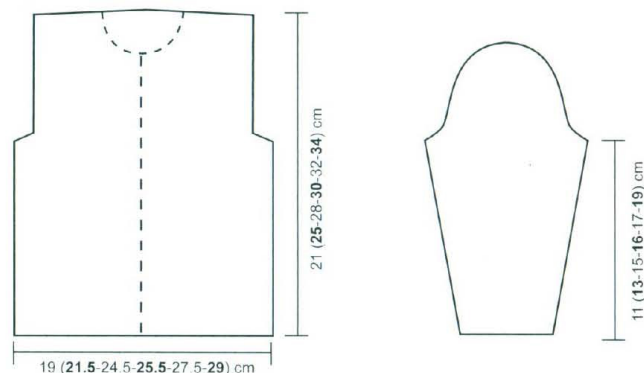
Fold legs in half and sew back leg seam, leaving top of leg open. Fill legs and oversew top of leg closed. Fold cast on edge of body in half and mark as centre front of body. Position legs 1 cm either side of this marker. Tack legs in place along cast on edge of body. Pin body base in position and sew in place, taking care to catch legs securely in seam. Leave an opening for filling approx 4 cm wide and easing body to body base to fit if necessary. Fill body and sew opening closed.

Fold arms in half and sew seam, leaving cast on edges open for filling. Fill and oversew opening closed. Position arm to top of **C2** section on body and sew securely in place.

Sew ear pieces together in pairs, having a **C1** ear to a **C2** ear, leaving cast on edges open. Fold cast on edge of ear downwards approx 7mm and oversew cast on edge closed, catching folded section. Sew ears to side of head, matching bottom edge of ear to bottom of **C1** section above arms and having **C2** ear facing forward.

Using black yarn, embroider facial features, using french knots for eyes, satin stitch for nose and straight stitch for mouth as pictured.

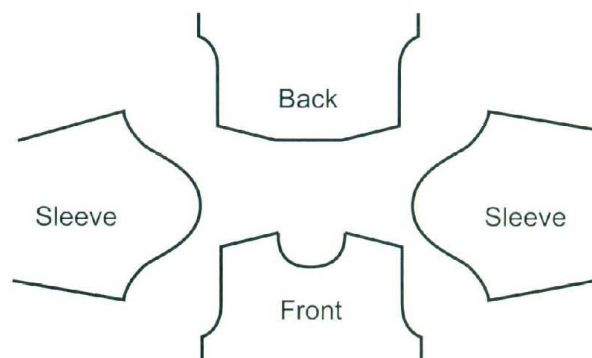
STYLE 15



SEWING SET - IN SLEEVES

Patons recommends using safety pins to join seams. Firstly, using a wool needle and Mattress Stitch Seam, join shoulder seams of garment Back to Front/s, join side seams of garment and join sleeve seams.

With sleeve folded in half, determine the centre of the sleeve top. Pin centre of sleeve top to shoulder seam. Pin underarm seam of sleeve to underarm seam of garment. Ease sides of sleeve top into armhole opening, pinning evenly into position. Sew in sleeve. Repeat with other sleeve (see diagram below).



NOTES

Style 15 Cathy Cat Cardigan

SKILL LEVEL

Easy

MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10



Months		0	3	6	9	12	18
To Fit Underarm	cm	35	40	45	47	50	53
	ins	14	16	18	18½	19½	21
Actual Size (approx at underarm)	cm	38	43	49	51	55	58
	ins	15	17	19½	20	21½	23
Length	cm	21	25	28	30	32	34
	ins	8	10	11	12	12½	13½
Sleeve Length	cm	11	13	15	16	17	19
	ins	4½	5	6	6½	6½	7½

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD DK 50g balls

Garment pictured is in colours #6243 (bright aqua), #6125 (apple green) and #6170 (royal).

1st Colour (C1)	1	1	1	1	2	2
2nd Colour (C2)	1	1	1	1	2	2
3rd Colour (C3)	1	1	2	2	2	2

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair each 4.00mm (UK 8) (US 6) and 3.25mm (UK 10) (US 3) Knitting Needles.
- 1 Stitch Holder.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- 4 (5-5-5-6-6) Coats Buttons (#0872).
- Small quantity of black yarn for embroidery.

Note - Do not break off yarn after completing each stripe, instead carry colour not in use loosely up side of work until required again.

Work in stocking st stripes of 8 rows each **C3** and **C1** through work measures 11 (14-16-17-19-20) cm from beg with a purl row.

TENSION

With Correct Yarn and Tension, your garment will look like our photograph.

22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 4.00mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 4.00mm Needles, cast on 33 sts. Work 44 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

SHAPE ARMHOLES -

Keeping stripes correct, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 39 (47-51-55-59-63) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 35 (43-47-49-53-55) sts rem.

Cont in stripes without shaping until **armhole** measures 10 (11-12-13-13-14) cm, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE SHOULDERS -

Cast off 4 (6-6-7-8-8) sts at beg of next 2 rows, then 4 (5-6-6-7-7) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Leave rem 19 (21-23-23-23-25) sts on a stitch holder.

LEFT FRONT

Using 3.25mm Needles and **C2**, cast on 21 (25-27-29-31-33) sts.

Knit 9 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side). Break off **C2**. Change to 4.00mm Needles and **beg stripes**.

Work in stocking st stripes as for Back until work measures same as Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with same stripe row.

CARDIGAN

BACK

Using 3.25mm Needles and **C2**, cast on 43 (51-55-59-63-67) sts.

Knit 9 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side). Break off **C2**. Change to 4.00mm Needles and **beg stripes**.

SHAPE ARMHOLE -

Keeping stripes correct, cast off 2 sts at beg of next row ... 19 (23-25-27-29-31) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in every foll alt row until 17 (21-23-24-26-27) sts rem.

Cont in stripes without shaping until **armhole** measures 4 (4-4-4.5-4.5-5) cm **less** than Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with a purl row.

Work 1 row.

SHAPE NECK -

Next row (wrong side) - Cast off 5 (5-6-6-6-6) sts, purl to end ... 12 (16-17-18-20-21) sts.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until 13-15- 13-15-15) sts rem.

Cont in stripes without shaping until **armholes** measures same as Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with same stripe row.

SHAPE SHOULDER -

Cast off 4 (6-6-7-8-8) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row. Cast off rem 4 (5-6-6-7-7) sts.

RIGHT FRONT

y knitway:

Using 3.25mm Needles and **C2**, cast on 27 (29-31-33) sts.

Knit 9 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side). Break off **C2**. Change to 4.00mm Needles.

Using **C1**, work in stocking st until work measures same as to beg of armhole shaping, ending with a purl row. Cast off **C1**.

g **C3** for rem, work 1 row.

SHAPE ARMHOLE -

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row ... 19 (23-25-27-29-31) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in next row, then in every foll alt row until 17 (21-23-24-26-27) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures 4 (4-4-4.5-4.5-5) cm **less** than Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE NECK -

Next row (right side) - Cast off 5 (5-6-6-6-6) sts, knit to end ... 12 (16-17-18-20-21) sts.

Work 1 row.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until 8 (11-12-13-15-15) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures same as Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a purl row. Work 1 row.

SHAPE SHOULDER -

Cast off 4 (6-6-7-8-8) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row. Cast off rem 4 (5-6-6-7-7) sts.

SLEEVES

Using 3.25mm Needles and **C2**, cast on 27 (29-29-31-31-33) sts.

Knit 9 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side).

Change to 4.00mm Needles and **beg stripes**.

Work in stocking st stripes of 2 rows each **C3**, **C1** and **C2** throughout, AT SAME TIME inc one st at each end of 3rd row, then in every foll - 4th (6th-4th-4th-4th-4th) row until there are 37 (39-45-47-49-51) sts.

Cont in stripes without shaping until work measures 11 (13-15-16-17-19) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

SHAPE TOP -

Keeping stripes correct, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 33 (35-41-43-45-47) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 29 (31-37-37-39-39) sts rem.

Work 1 row. Using colour from previous row, cast off.

NECKBAND

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam.

Join shoulder seams. With right side facing, using 3.25mm Needles and **C2**, knit up 14 (14-14-16-16-18) sts evenly along right side of neck, knit across sts from back stitch holder, then knit up 14 (14-14-16-16-18) sts evenly along left side of neck ... 47 (49-51-55-55-61) sts.

Knit 9 rows garter st. Cast off loosely knitways.

RIGHT FRONT BAND

With right side facing, using 3.25mm Needles and **C2**, knit up 38 (50-54-54-62-62) sts evenly along right front edge to neckband, then 5 sts evenly along side edge of neckband ... 43 (55-59-59-67-67) sts.

For Girl - Knit 4 rows garter st.

5th row (wrong side) - K3, yfwd, K2tog, * K10 (10-11-11-10-10), yfwd, K2tog, rep from * to last 2 sts, K2 ... 4 (5-5-5-6-6) buttonholes in all.

Knit 4 rows garter st. Cast off loosely knitways.

For Boy - Knit 9 rows garter st. Cast off loosely knitways.

LEFT FRONT BAND

With right side facing, using 3.25mm Needles and **C2**, knit up 5 sts evenly along side edge of neckband, then 38 (50-54-54-62-62) sts evenly along left front edge ... 43 (55-59-59-67-67) sts.

For Boy - Knit 4 rows garter st.

5th row (wrong side) - K3, yfwd, K2tog, * K10 (10-11-11-10-10), yfwd, K2tog, rep from * to last 2 sts, K2 ... 4 (5-5-5-6-6) buttonholes in all.

Knit 4 rows garter st. Cast off loosely knitways.

For Girl - Knit 9 rows garter st. Cast off loosely knitways.

MAKE UP

Embroidery - Cat - Using **C2** and backstitch, outline cat to right front as pictured, making sure that paws hang over colour change. Using black yarn, embroider eyes, nose and whiskers using straight st.

Fish Bowl - Using **C3** and backstitch, outline fish bowl to right front below cat as pictured. Using **C2** and backstitch, outline fish inside fish bowl. Using black yarn, work a french knot for eye of fish. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves. Sew on buttons. Sew in all ends.

Style 16 Cathy Cat Toy

MEASUREMENTS

Abbreviations – see page 10

Height (approx)

SKILL LEVEL

Intermediate

cm	30
ins	12

PATONS YARN REQUIRED

DIPLOMA GOLD DK 50g balls

Toy pictured is in colours #6243 (bright aqua), #6125 (apple green), #6170 (royal) and #6222 (lemon).

1st Colour (C1)	1
2nd Colour (C2)	1
3rd Colour (C3)	1
4th Colour (C4)	1

Use only the yarn specified - other yarns may give different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters.

Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.



NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair 3.00mm (UK 11) (US 2) Knitting Needles.
- A Wool Needle for sewing seams.
- Washable Polyester Filling.
- Small quantity of grey yarn for embroidery.

TENSION

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27 sts and 36 rows to 10 cm over stocking st, using 3.00mm Needles.

To work a 15 cm x 15 cm tension square, use 3.00mm Needles, cast on 40 sts. Work 54 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely.

Please check your tension carefully. If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

CAT TOY

LEGS (make 2, beg at hip)

Note - Work in stocking st stripes throughout of 2 rows each **C1**, **C2** and **C3**.

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 6 sts.

Working in stocking st stripes, inc one st at each end of every row until there are 20 sts.

Cont without shaping until leg measures 8 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - K10, **turn**, cast on 18 sts, **turn**, K10 ... 38 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - K16, inc once in each of next 6 sts, K16 ... 44 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - K20, inc once in each of next 4 sts, K20 ... 48 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Cont without shaping until leg measures 12 cm from beg, ending with a purl row. Cast off.

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FOOTPAD (make 2)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C4**, cast on 6 sts.

Working in stocking st, inc one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until there are 14 sts.

Cont without shaping until footpad measures 4.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Dec one st at each end of every row until 8 sts rem.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

ARMS (make 2, beg at shoulder)

Note - Work in stocking st stripes throughout of 2 rows each **C1**, **C2** and **C3**.

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 2 sts.

Working in stocking st stripes, inc one st at each end of every row until there are 16 sts.

Cont in stripes without shaping until arm measures 9 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - K6, (K2tog) twice, K6 ... 14 sts.

Next row - (P2tog, P3, P2tog) twice ... 10 sts.

Cast off.

OUTER EARS (make 2)

Note - Work in stocking st stripes throughout of 2 rows each **C1**, **C2** and **C3**.

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 16 sts.

Work in stocking st stripes until ear measures 2.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Cont in stocking st stripes, dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 6 sts rem, then in every row until 2 sts rem. Cast off.

INNER EARS (make 2)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C4**, cast on 12 sts.

Work in stocking st until ear measures 2.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 4 sts rem, then in every row until 2 sts rem. Cast off.

BODY (make 2 pieces)

Note - Work in stocking st stripes throughout of 2 rows each **C1**, **C2** and **C3**.

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 12 sts.

1st row - (inc knitways in next st, K4, inc knitways in next st) twice ... 16 sts.

2nd row - Inc purlways in first st, purl to last st, inc purlways in last st ... 18 sts.

3rd row - (inc in next st, K7, inc in next st) twice ... 22 sts.

4th row - As 2nd row ... 24 sts.

5th row - (inc in next st, K10, inc in next st) twice ... 28 sts.

6th row - As 2nd row ... 30 sts.

7th row - (inc in next st, K13, inc in next st) twice ... 34 sts.

Tie a coloured thread at each end of last row for leg placement.

8th row - Purl.

9th row - (inc in next st, K15, inc in next st) twice ... 38 sts.

10th row - Purl.

11th row - (inc in next st, K17, inc in next st) twice ... 42 sts.

Cont in stripes without shaping until body measures 7 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K4, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 35 sts.

Next row - Purl, tying a coloured thread at each end of row. Work 4 rows stocking st.

Next row - * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 28 sts.

Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K2, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 21 sts.

Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 14 sts.

Cont in stripes without shaping until body measures 11.5 cm from beg, ending with a purl row. Cast off.

HEAD (beg at neck)

Note - Work in stocking st stripes throughout of 2 rows each **C1**, **C2** and **C3**.

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C1**, cast on 10 sts.

1st row - Inc knitways once in each st ... 20 sts.

2nd and foll alt rows - Purl.

3rd row - * K1, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 30 sts.

5th row - * K2, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 40 sts.

7th row - * K3, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 50 sts.

9th row - * K4, inc in next st, rep from * to end ... 60 sts.

Cont in stripes without shaping until head measures 8 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K3, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 48 sts.

Work 3 rows stocking st, beg with a purl row.

Next row - * K2, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 36 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - * K1, K2tog, rep from * to end ... 24 sts.

Next row - Purl.

Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 12 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

TAIL (beg at base)

Using 3.00mm Needles and **C3**, cast on 12 sts.

Work in stocking st stripes of 2 rows each **C3**, **C1** and **C2** until tail measures approx 7 cm from beg, ending with 2 rows of **C2**. Break off yarns.

Using **C4** for rem, cont in stocking st until tail measures 9 cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end ... 6 sts.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts and draw up tightly.

FINISHING

Patons recommends using Mattress Stitch Seam unless otherwise stated.

Fold legs in half, join inside leg seam and top of foot, leaving top of leg and bottom of foot open. Sew footpads in position to cast off edge of leg. Fill legs and oversew angled edge at top of leg closed. Position legs to side of body, placing narrow cast on edge of leg to coloured thread on body and start of inside leg seam to cast on edge of body. Tack legs in place along side edge of body.

Fold arms in half and join seam, leaving angled edges open for filling. Fill and oversew opening closed. Position arms to top of body, noting that narrow end is top of shoulder and seam of arm should not extend past the coloured threads on the side of the body. Tack arms in place.

Place second body piece on top of first. Sew side edges of body together, taking care to catch limbs securely in seams and leaving cast on and cast off edge open. Sew cast on edge closed and fill body through neck opening. Sew side edges of head together, leaving cast on edge open. Fill head and gather opening closed. Sew cast on edge of head to neck edge of body, placing seam at back and adding more filling as necessary so the neck is strong enough to support the head.

Fold tail in half and sew side edges together, adding filling as you go. Sew tail to back of body. Sew inner ears to outer ears in pairs, easing to fit. Fold ears slightly and sew to top of head as pictured. Using grey yarn, embroider mouth using straight st and french knots for eyes as pictured. Using **C4**, embroider nose using satin st. Cut 3 strands of **C4**, each strand 20 cm long for whiskers. Using wool needle, pull these strands together through the face on either side of the nose. Tie a knot in whiskers on each side to secure them in place. Trim whiskers to 3 cm. Using **C3**, embroider paw prints on foot pads using satin st as pictured.

TOYS IN DIPLOMA GOLD 4PLY

Clockwise from Top Left -
Style 6 Mikey Mouse . Style 14 Barry Bear . Style 12 Buddy Friend . Style 4 Fiona Frog



TOYS IN DIPLOMA GOLD DK

Clockwise from Top Left -

Style **10** Peter Panda . Style **2** Rosie Rabbit . Style **16** Cathy Cat . Style **10** Poppy Panda . Style **8** Douggie Doggie





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